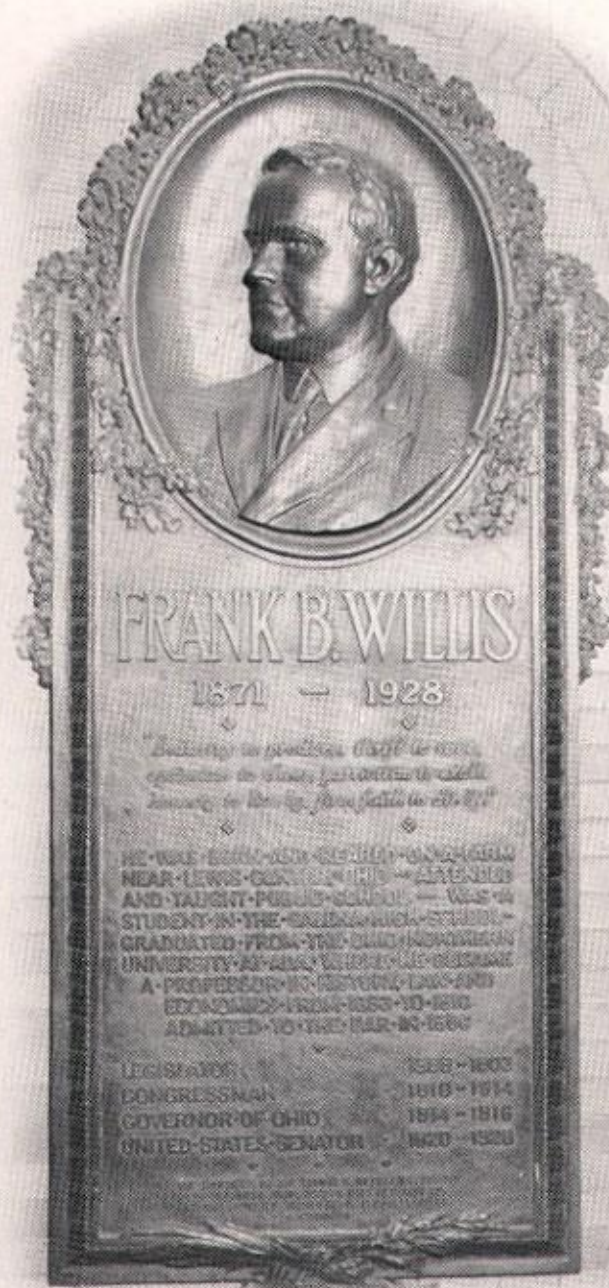


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DELAWARE, OHIO

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HIGH SCHOOL PATHWAYS





The book tells of the pathways that we have walked during the 1957-58 school year. The walk may have seemed long to some, short to others, but everyone will agree that it was filled with happy moments. Some of us have walked this path for the last time — others have several years left to enjoy at Frank B. Willis High School. It is time to begin our journey now — the guide will be our Willy, symbol of our school's spirit. The milestones on our path are listed below, so let us begin to travel down — Panther pathways!

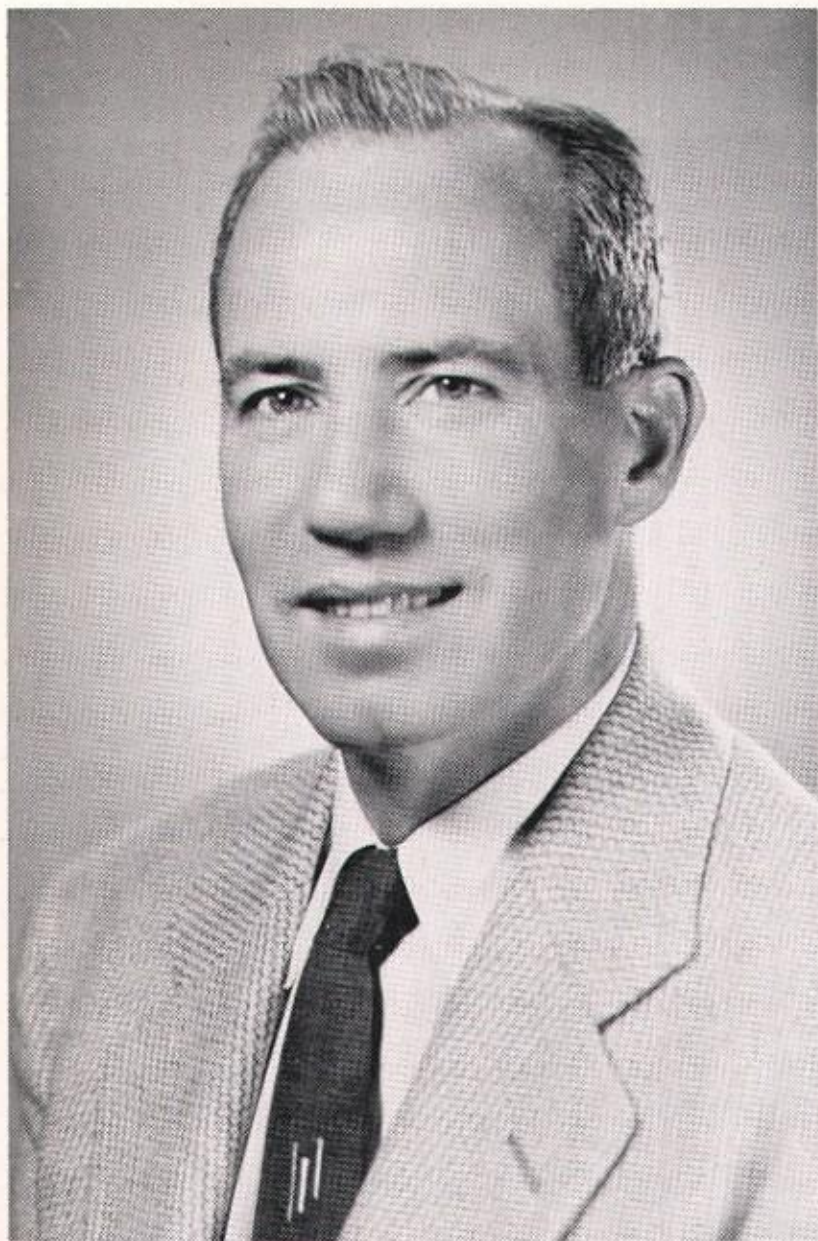
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University of Akron, B.E.
Ohio State University, M.A.
Northwestern University
Ohio Wesleyan University
Superintendent of Delaware City Schools

Carl L. Hopkins has been a familiar figure around the Delaware City Schools for a number of years. Twelve of these he spent as Principal of Willis. As superintendent, Mr. Hopkins has still had time to be an active member and leader in Delaware Civic organizations and of Ohio Schools. He is a member of the Central District Athletic Board.

MISS DOROTHY WHITTED

Simson College, B.A.
Ohio State University, M.A.
Supervisor of Instruction
Senior English and Literature

Dorothy Whitted's major responsibility is that of articulating the course of study in all the city schools. Since 1933 she has been an instructor in the department of education at Ohio Wesleyan University. The past year she wrote two articles for publication in the field of language arts. She also was on the program at the last National Council of English Teachers.





MR. THOMAS D. GRAHAM

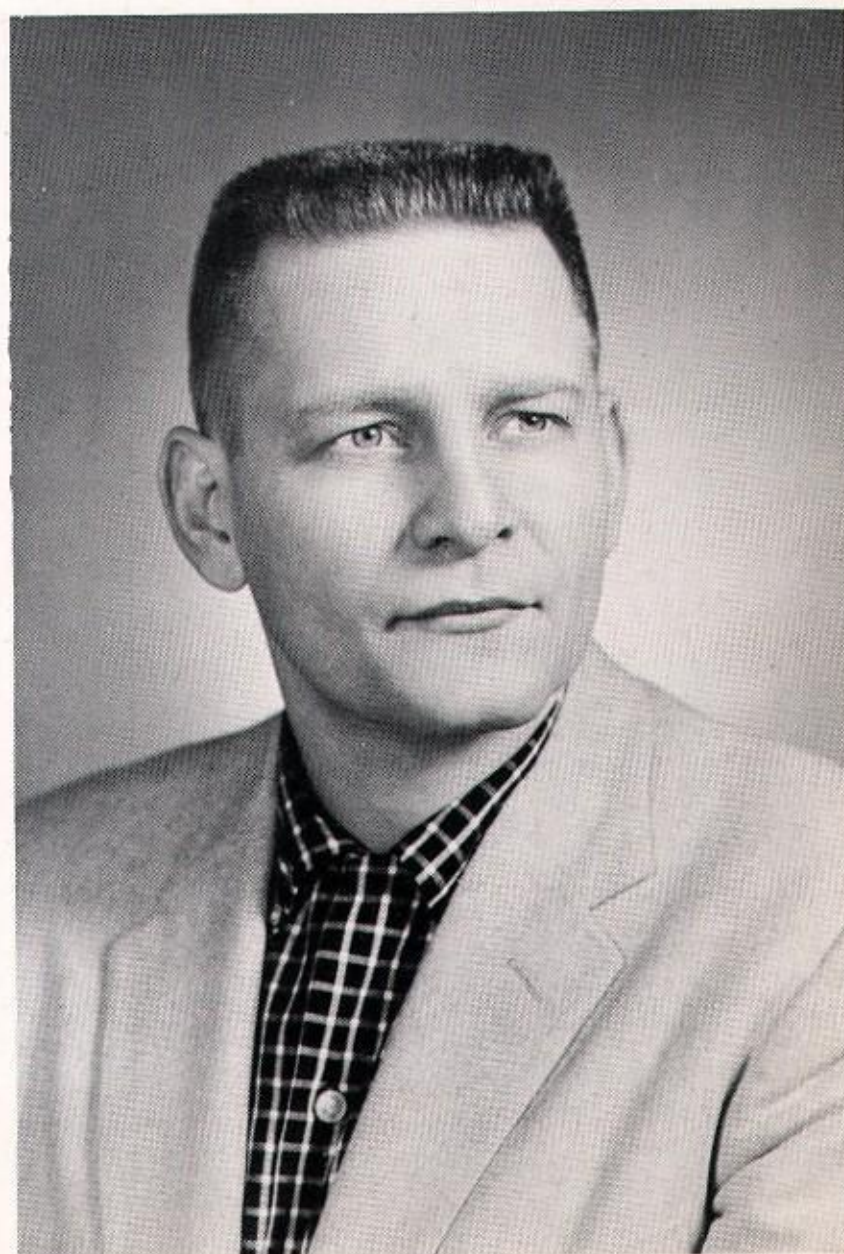
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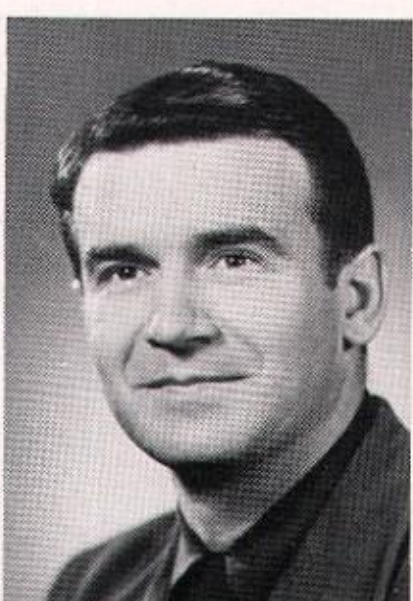
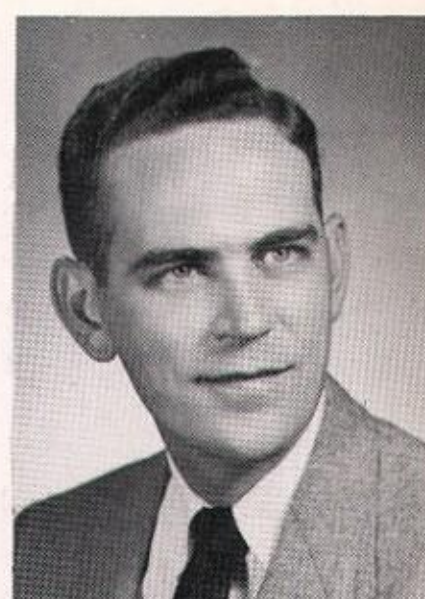
Thomas D. Graham has been principal of Willis High School for three years. Before that he was a teacher of physics and chemistry at Willis for 25 years. He has been instructor in the Department of Education at Ohio Wesleyan University since 1943.

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Assistant Principal
Junior High Supervisor
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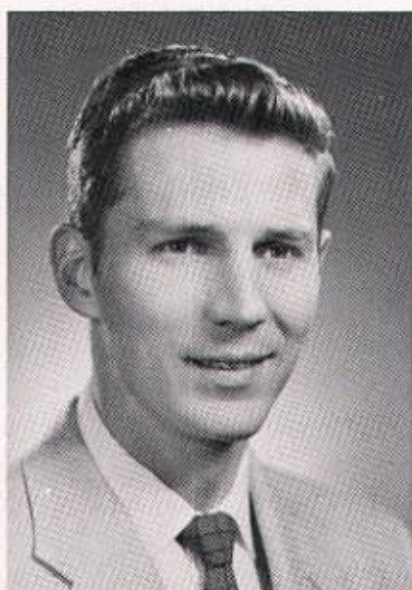
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Secretary, Superintendent



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Attendance, Cafeteria



Left to right: J. Virtue, E. Glendening, R. Sherman, M. Law, J. Pope, E. Peebles, Supt. Hopkins

BOARD OF EDUCATION

The Board of Education is the administrative body for six schools; Willis High School and the five elementary schools, Boardman, Conger, Woodward, North, and Carlisle. The group's function include policy formation, evaluation of policies and practices, selection of superintendent, and regulation of finances.

This year's Board of Education was composed of five members: Mr. Merle Law, president; Mr. Charles E. Peebles, vice-president; Mr. R. E. Glendening, Mr. E. Richard Sherman, and Mr. John B. Pope. As in the past years, Mrs. K. C. Virute served as clerk. The Board met regularly on the second Monday of each month, however, special sessions were often called. One of the main issues facing the board at this time is keeping adequate housing for the ever increasing school enrollment.



Mr. Graham, Mr. Visci, Miss Wells, Mrs. Patingale, Miss Plum, Mr. Felts, Miss Whitted, Miss Harter, Mr. Moist

TEACHER'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

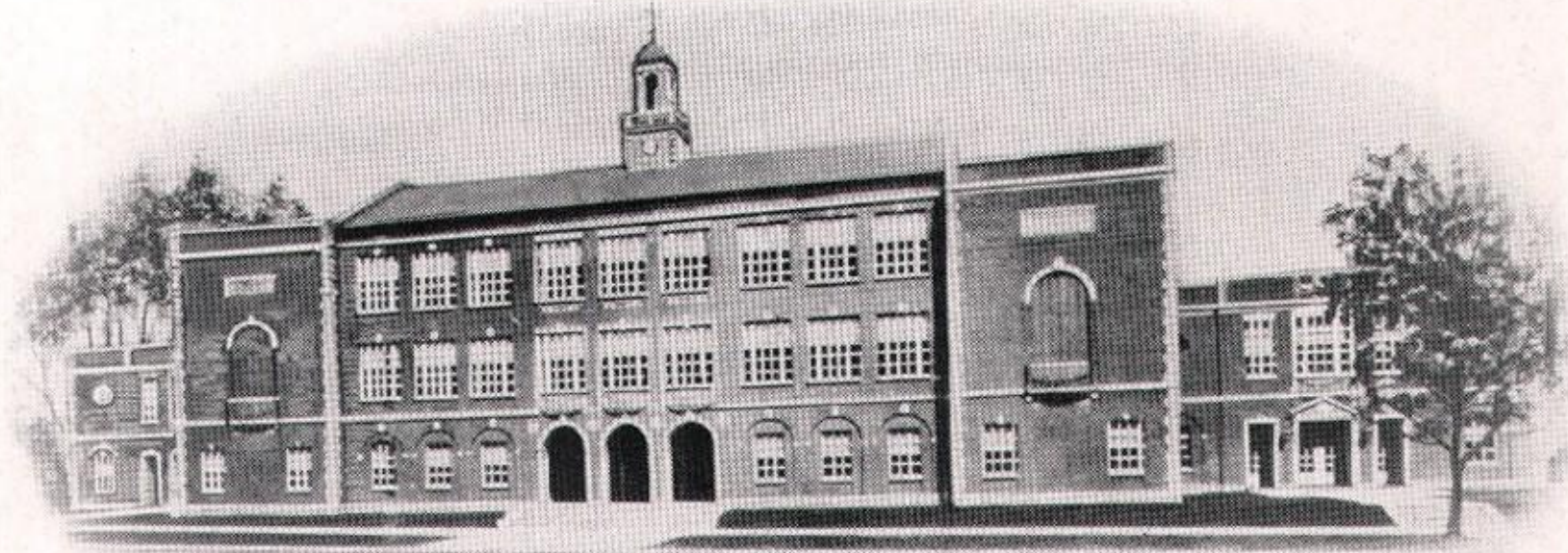
The Teacher's Executive Committee is an advisory group elected by the school faculty. Its duties include decisions on standards of achievement; regulation of school policies dealing with charity campaigns, final examinations, assemblies, and the various school rules; and advisory obligations to the administration, faculty, and students.

The committee was made up of nine members, with Mr. Sherman Moist serving as chairman. Miss Dorothy Whitted, Mr. Thomas Graham, and Mr. Leonard Visci served as ex officio members. Miss Eliza Plum and Mr. Raymond Felts were elected at the first of the school year for a two year term, while Miss Pearle Wells, Miss Hortense Harter, and Mrs. Chester Patingale have completed their second year. This committee met on the first and third Monday of each month.



SENIOR HIGH



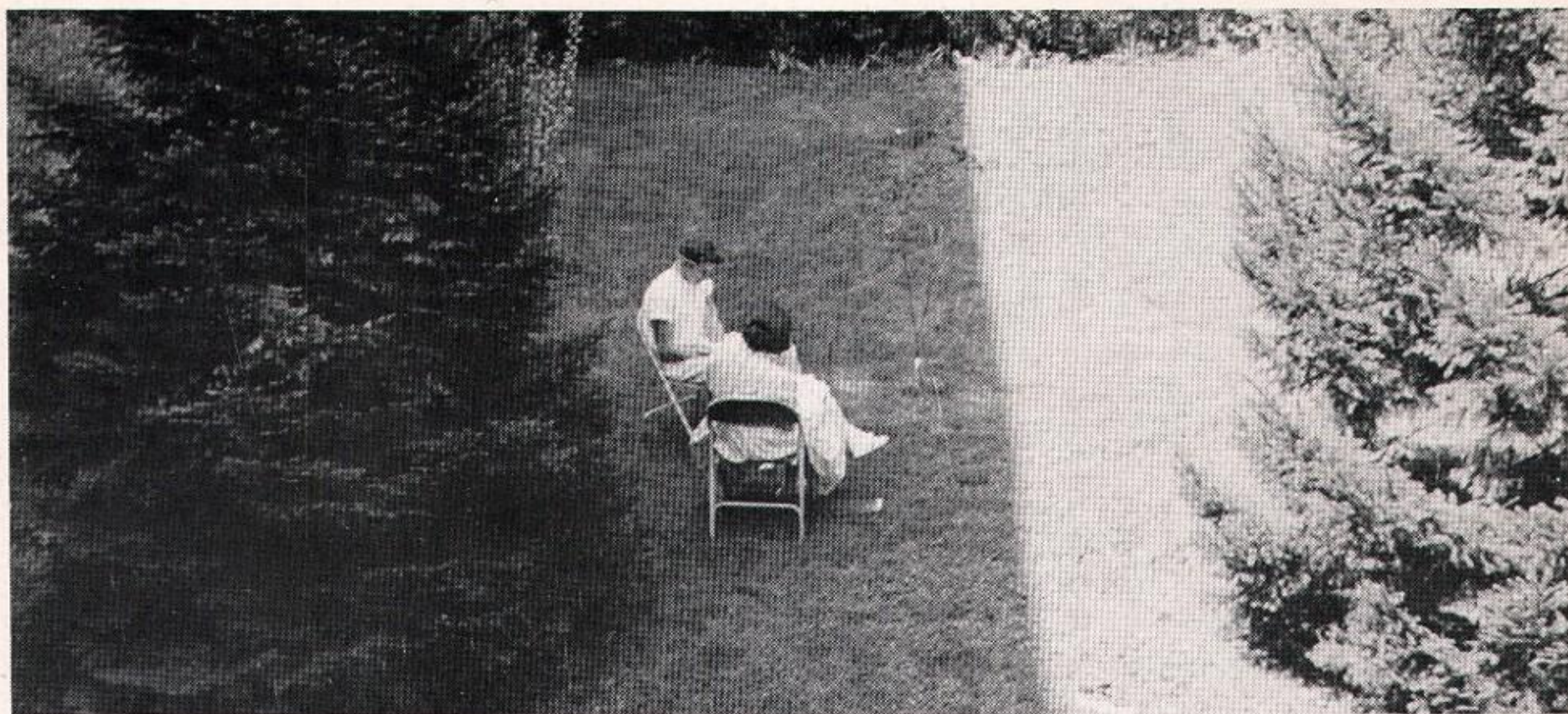


ALMA MATER

*Oh, we love the Black-eyed Susan,
Tho humble flower it be,
And we'll often make allusion
To the flower whose charms we see;
For fond mem'ries it will kindle,
Nor honor shall it lack;
For it stands as nature's symbol
Of "The Orange and the Black."*

*In those dear old days of high school,
Drinking at the mystic spring,
Where we lived by gong and schedule,
In school-life's enchanted ring,
Clinging to our alma mater,
We shielded from attack,
The banner of our colors,
Of "The Orange and the Black."*

*When we've won our senior laurels
And our high school days are o'er,
A yearning swells within us,
For the bell we hear no more,
When life's cares shall have enthralled us,
Our hearts will wander back,
To the days when that bell called us,
To "The Orange and the Black."*



HALLS OF IVY

*Oh, we love the halls of ivy that surround us here today,
And we will not forget though we be far, far away.*

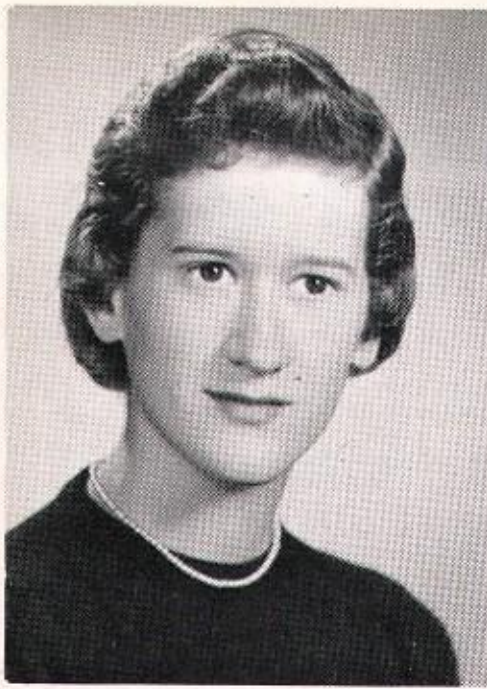
*To the hallowed halls of ivy every voice will bid farewell,
And shimmer off in twilight like the old vesper bell.*

*One day a hush will fall, the footsteps of us all
Will echo down the halls and disappear;*

*But as we sadly start our journeys far apart,
A part of every heart will linger here.*

*In the sacred halls of ivy,
Where we've lived and learned to know,*

*That through the years we'll see you
In the sweet after glow.*



Janet Louise Allen "Jan"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Choir 3, 4; Senior Chorus 1; Girls' Glee Club 2; Major-Minor 2, 3, 4; Triple Trio 4; Girls' Bowling 1; Cheerleader 1, 2, Co-Captain 1; F. T. A. 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 3, 4; Ident. 4; N. F. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; Debate 1, 2; Rec. Comm 1; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; V. Pres. 4; Scholarship Team 1, 2, 3; Thespians 1, 2, 3, 4; "Mikado" 1; "Time Out For Ginger" 2; "Fortune Teller" 2; "Sunday Costs Five Pesos" 2; "Divine Flora" 3; "Caine Mutiny" 3; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; Senior Class Comm. 4; Latin Club 1, 2, V. Pres. 1; J. C. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 3, 4, Pres. 3

Mary Margaret Arrington

W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Historian 4; Song Leader 3; Latin Club 1



Lynda Sue Bayliff

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Majorette 3, 4; Senior Choir 3, 4; Senior Chorus 1; Girls' Glee Club 2; Major-Minor 2, 3, 4; Triple Trio 3, 4; Girls' Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Tennis 1, 2; Sports Comm. 3, 4; "W" Girls 3, 4; Scholarship Team 1, 2, 3; F. T. A. 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 3, 4; N. F. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; Debate 1, 2, 3, 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3; Gazette Ed. Bd. 3, 4; Thespians 2, 3, 4; Sec. 3, Pres. 4; "Mikado" 1; "Time Out For Ginger" 2; "Fortune Teller" 2; "Sunday Costs Five Pesos" 2; "Divine Flora" 3; "Caine Mutiny" 3; "Midsummer Night's Dream" 4; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; Student Council 4; Senior Class Comm. 4; Latin Club 1, 2, Sec.; J. C. L. 1, 2, 3, 4



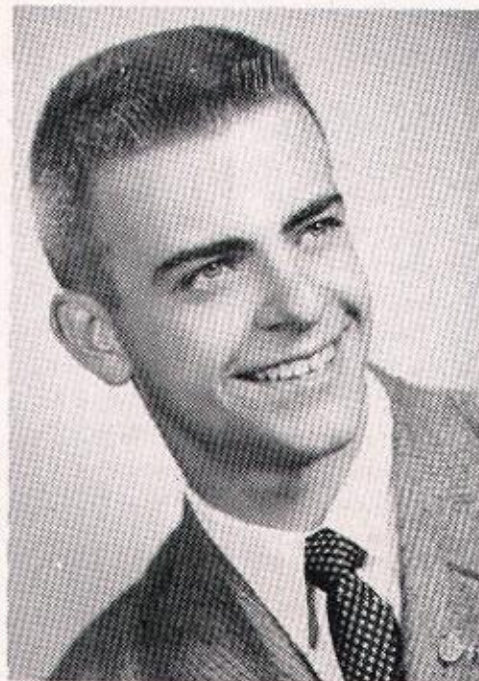
Nancy Kay Avery

W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1, 2; J. C. L. 1, 2



Edward Black "Blackie"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 2; Basketball 2; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2; Intramurals 3, 4; D-Clan 3, 4; F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 3; V. Pres. 4; Key Club 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Delhi Staff 4; Rec. Comm. 3; Radio Club 1, 2



Betty Jane Blair "Bet"

Majorette 2, 3, 4; Popular Music Club 1; Girls' Volleyball 4; F. T. A. 1; Rec. Comm. 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 4



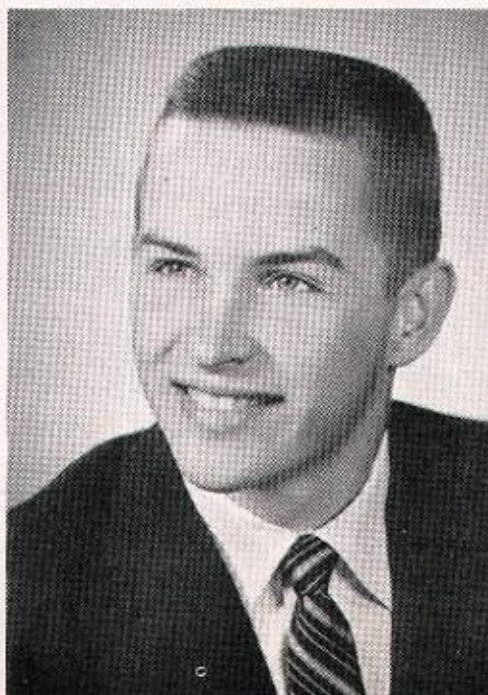
Carolyn Skidmore Blair "Skiddy"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 3, 4; Senior Choir 3, 4; Senior Chorus 1; Girls' Glee Club 2; Major-Minor 2, 3, 4, Treas. 3; Triple Trio 3, 4; Girls' Basketball 1, 3, 4; Girls' Volleyball 1, 3, 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; "W" Girls 3, 4; F. T. A. 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4; Delhi Staff 3, 4; Asst. Editor 4; N. F. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; Debate 1, 2, 3, 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3; Gazette Ed. Bd. 3, 4; Freshman Play 1; "Mikado" 1; "Fortune Teller" 2; "Divine Flora" Crew 3; "Caine Mutiny" 1; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; Jr. Class Exec. Comm. 3; Senior Class Comm. 4; Fair Queen 4; Latin Club 1, 2, Treas. 1; J. C. L. 1, 2, 3, 4



William Bruce Burns "Bruce"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Tennis 1, 2; D-Clan 2, 3, 4; Radio Club 1, 2; F. T. A. 4; Key Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Lt. Gov. 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4; Delhi Staff 2, 3, 4; Shutterbugs 1, 2; Student Council 2, 4; Booth Crew 1, 2; French Club 1, 2, Sec. 1; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4



Nancy Ellen Byerly

Senior Choir 3, 4; Senior Chorus 2; Major-Minor 3, 4; Girls' Basketball 1; Girls' Volleyball 1; Girls' Tennis 1; Delhi Staff 3, 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; "Mikado" Crew 1; "Fortune Teller" 2; "Divine Flora" 3; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; Latin Club 1, 2, Treas. 2; J. C. L. 1, 2, 3, 4

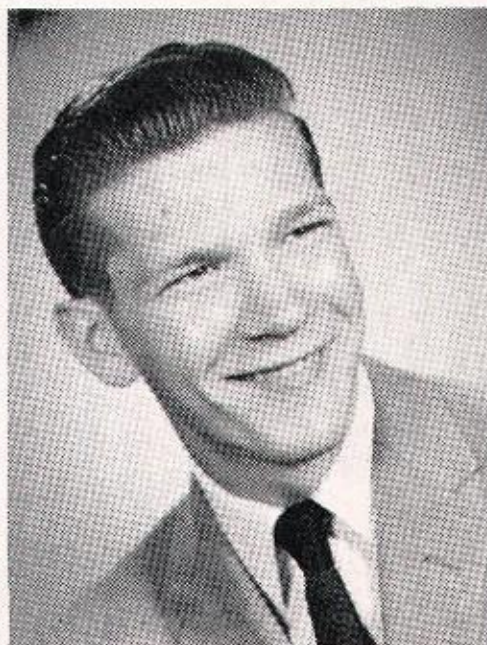


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"Lizzie"**

Girls' Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; "W" Girls 4; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4, Capt. 4; F. T. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 3, 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Ex. Comm.; Thespians 3, 4; "Time Out For Ginger" Crew 2; "Fortune Teller" Crew 2; "Sunday Costs Five Pesos" Crew 2; "Divine Flora" 3; "Caine Mutiny" Crew 3; Senior Class Comm. 4; Fair Queen 4; Latin Club 1, 2, V. Pres. 2; J. C. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 3, 4, Sec. 3; Scholarship Team 3

Patricia Ann Clark "Pat"

Girls' Basketball 1, 4, Co-Capt. 4; Girls' Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Capt. 3; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4, Capt. 3; Girls' Tennis 2; F. T. A. 2, 3, 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Gazette Ed. Bd. 4; "Harvey" Crew 1; "Mikado" Crew 1; "Time Out For Ginger" Crew 2; "Fortune Teller" Crew 2; "Divine Flora" Crew 3; "Caine Mutiny" Crew 3; Latin Club 1, 2; J. C. L. 1, 2; Science Club 3, 4



David Corwin

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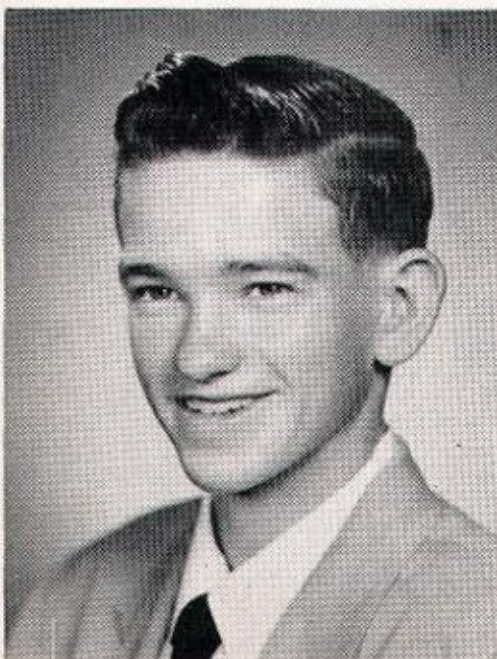


Judith Lynn Crowl "Judy"

Senior Choir 3, 4; Senior Chorus 2; Major-Minor 3, 4; Triple Trio 4; Girls' Basketball 4, Capt. 4; Girls' Volleyball 1, 2, 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 4; F. T. A. 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 4; Rec. Comm. 3; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Gazette Ed. Bd. 3, 4; Thespians 4; "Mikado" Crew 1; "Time Out For Ginger" Crew 2; "Fortune Teller" 2; "Divine Flora" Crew 3; "Caine Mutiny" Crew 3; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; Latin Club 1, 2; J. C. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 3, 4; Scholarship Team 3; Freshman Plays 1

Carol Ann Crumb

Senior Choir 4; Senior Chorus 1, 3; Girls' Glee Club 2; W-Teens 1, 4; "Mikado" 1; "Fortune Teller" 2; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; Spanish Club 1, 3



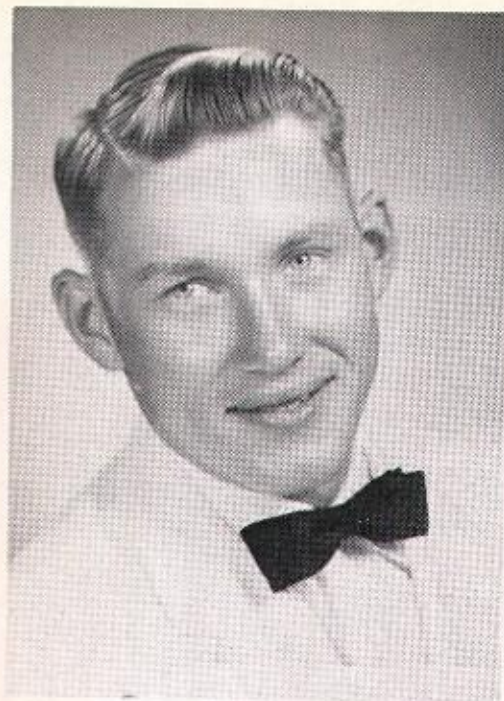
Lowell R. Cumston

Intramurals 1

Janet Cunningham

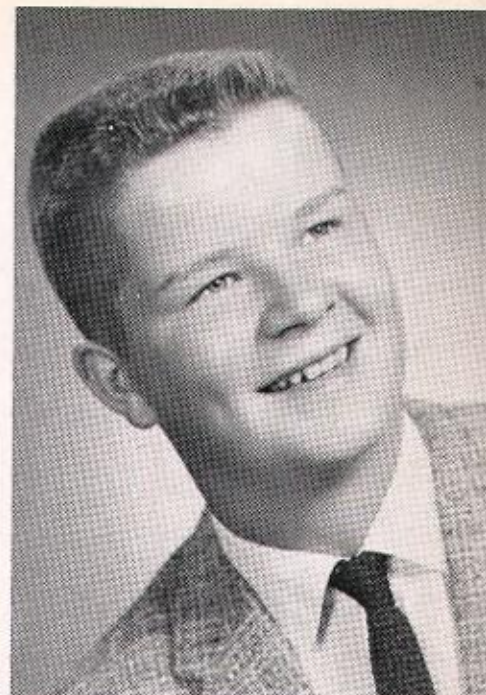
Girls' Volleyball 1; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1





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George Edward Downing

Key Club 2, 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1, 2; J. C. L. 1, 2, 3, 4



Sandra Kay Elder "Sandy"

Girls' Basketball 1, 4; Girls' Volleyball 2, 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; Sports Comm. 2, 4; F. T. A. 3, 4; V. Pres. 4; Delhi Staff 2, 3, 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Co-Chairman 4; "Caine Mutiny" Crew 3; Freshman Plays 1; Spanish Club 2, 3

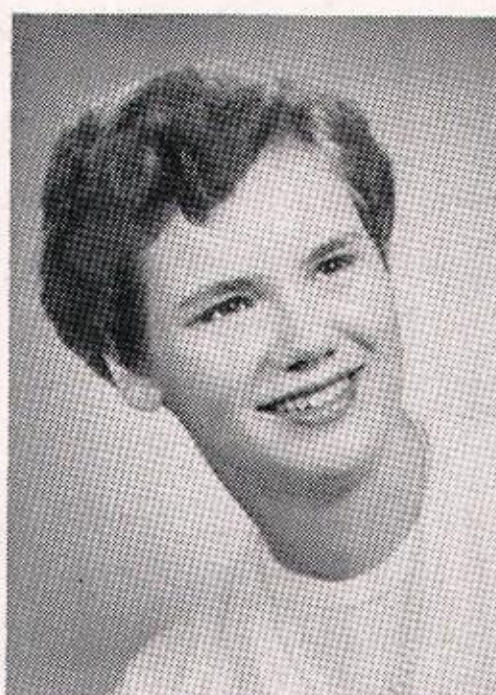


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Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 4; F. T. A. 3, 4; Delhi Staff 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Class Comm. 4; French Club 1, 2; Spanish Club 3, 4, Sec.-Treas. 3

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Senior Choir 3, 4, Accompanist 3, 4; Senior Chorus 1, 2, Accompanist 2; Major-Minor 1, 2, 3, 4; Triple Trio 3, 4, Accompanist; Girls' Basketball 1; Girls' Volleyball 1; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Tennis 1; Cheerleader 1, 2; F. T. A. 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 3, 4; N. F. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; Debate 1, 2, 3, 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Gazette Ed Bd. 4; Scholarship Team 1, 2, 3; "Mikado" Accompanist 1; "Fortune Teller" Accompanist 2; "H. M. S. Pinafore" Accompanist 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Class Officers 1, 2, 3, 4; V. Pres.; Jr. Class Exec. Comm. 3; Senior Class Comm. 4; Homecoming Court 4; Fair Queen 4; Latin Club 1, 2; Pres. 1; J. C. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; Buckeye Girls' State 3

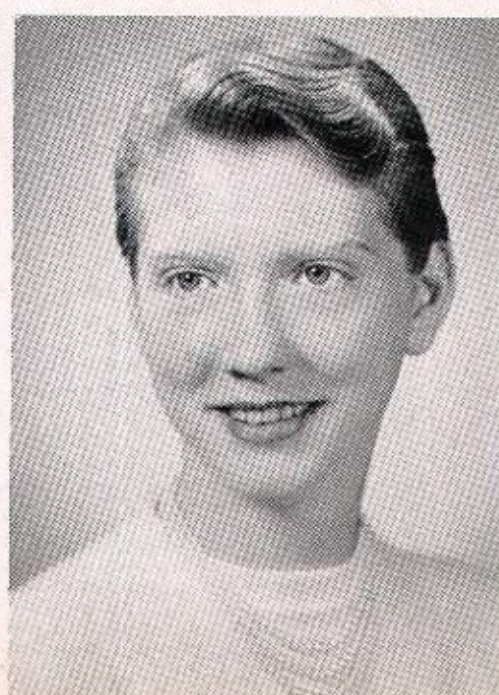
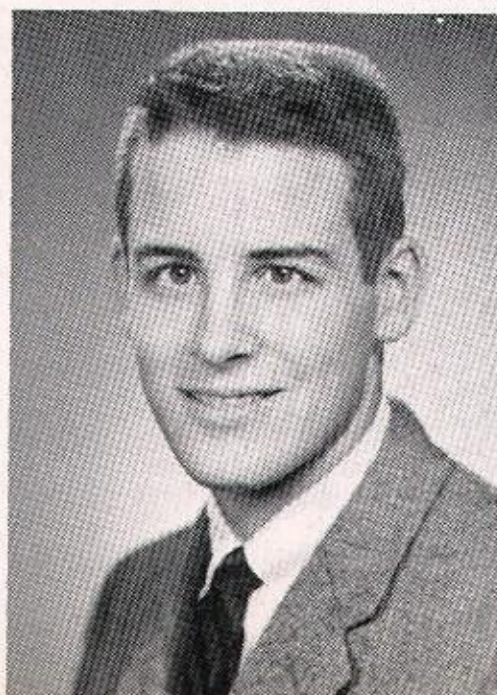


Judith Naomi Fidler "Judy"

Senior Chorus 1; Girls' Basketball 1; Girls' Volleyball 1; Girls' Bowling 1, 2; F. T. A. 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Y. F. C. 1; Latin Club 1, 2; J. C. L. 1, 2.

Harry Flemming

Transferred from Western High School in Jr. year. Intramurals 3; F. T. A. 3, 4; Key Club 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Delhi Staff 4; Spanish Club 3, 4



Shirley May Fleshman
Girls' Basketball 1, 2; Girls' Volleyball 1, 2; F. T. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Y. F. C. 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 3

Sharon Diana Fogle

Popular Music Club 4; Girls' Volleyball 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 4



John Edward Freeman

Intramurals 3; Shutterbugs 1, 2, 3; Industrial Arts Club 1, 2, 3, 4



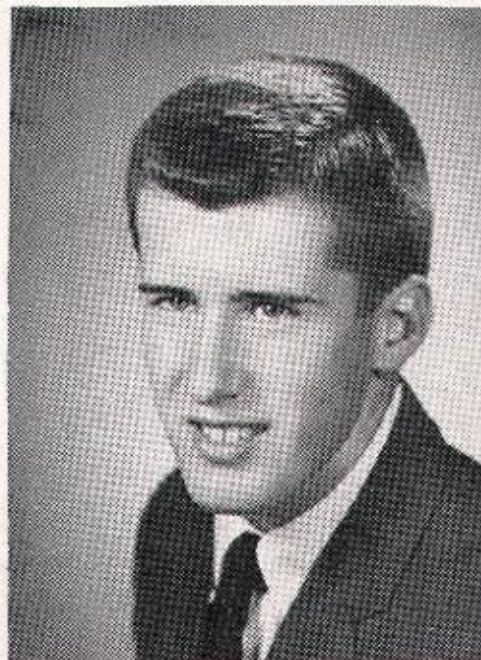
Carol Sue Gabriel

Girls' Bowling 1, 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; V. Pres. 3, Pres. 4; Student Council 4



Robert Gallant "Chico"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; D-Clan 1, 2, 3, 4; Key Club 1, 2, 3, 4; V. Pres. 3; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Comm. Head 4; Delhi Staff 4; Student Council 4; Jr. Class Exec. Comm. 3; Latin Club 1, 2, Pres. 1; J. C. L. 1, 2



Albert George, Jr., "Sonny"

Senior Chorus 1; Football 1; Track 3; Intramurals 3, 4; F. T. A. 3, 4; Key Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 4; Rec. Comm. 3, Treas.; "Mikado" 1; Student Council 4, Pres.; Student Body President; Latin Club 1, 2; J. C. L. 1, 2

Carol R. Glaze

Senior Choir 4; Senior Chorus 3; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 4; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; Senior Class Comm. 4; J. C. L. 1

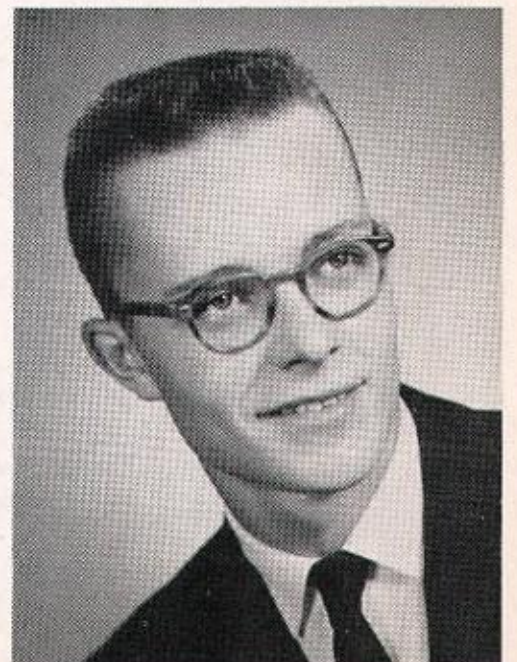


Patricia Ann Glaze

Transferred from Worthington H. S. Soph. year. Girls' Basketball 2, 3; Girls' Bowling 3; F. T. A. 3, 4; Delhi Staff 4; W-Teens 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3; Latin Club 2; J. C. L. 2; French Club 3, 4; Sec.-Treas. 4

Larry E. Gongwer

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 3; D-Clan 3, 4; V. Pres. 4; Key Club 1, 2; Hi-Y 1, 2; Industrial Arts Club 4





Shirley Ann Gooding

Girls' Volleyball 1; Girls' Bowling 1, 2; Delhi Staff 4; W-Teens 1, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2

Jean A. Grauman

Transferred from Scioto-Valley Sr. year



Mary Esther Greene

Senior Choir 3, 4; Senior Chorus 1; Girls' Glee Club 2; Major-Minor 2, 3, 4; Triple Trio 4; Girls' Basketball 1, 2; Girls' Volleyball 1, 2, 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Tennis 2; F. T. A. 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 3, 4; Debate 1; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3; Thespians 3, 4; "Mikado" 1; "Fortune Teller" 2; "Sunday Costs Five Pesos" 2; "Divine Flora" 3; "Caine Mutiny" 3; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; Jr. Class Exec. Comm. 3; French Club 1, 2



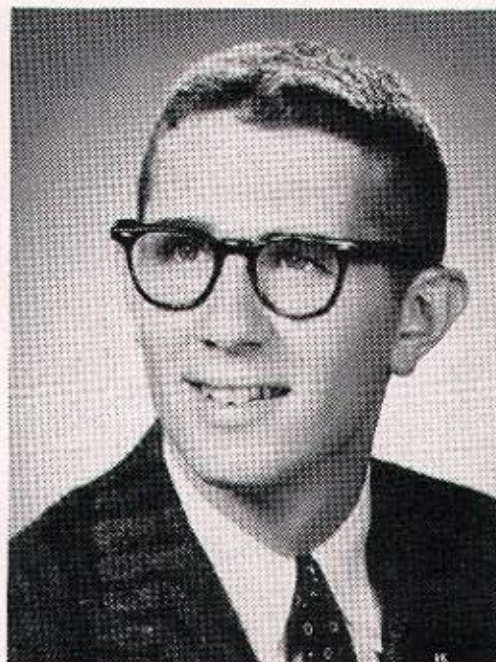
Cheri Ilene Green

Popular Music Club 1, 2, 3; Intramurals 1; Girls' Bowling 2; F. H. A. 4; Spanish Club 2, 3



Elinor Jean Gruber "Jean"

Senior Choir 4; Senior Chorus 3; Girls' Basketball 4; Girls' Volleyball 1, 4, Co-Capt. 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3; F. H. A. 1, 2; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4



Alan Stuart Hackel "Al"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 2, 3, 4; Senior Choir 2, 4; Senior Chorus 1; Boys' Octette 4; Track 1; Golf 4; F. T. A. 3, 4; Key Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Treas. 2, State Treas. 3; Hi-Y 1, 2, Treas.; Delhi Staff 3, 4; N. F. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; Debate 1, 2, 3; Recreation Committee 1; Gazette Ed. Bd. 3, 4; Thespians 2, 3, 4, V. Pres.; "Mikado" 1; "Time Out For Ginger" Crew 2; "Fortune Teller" 2; "Divine Flora" 3; "Caine Mutiny" 3; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; Freshman Class President; Jr. Class Exec. Comm. 3; Senior Class Comm. 4; Stage Crew 2; Latin Club 1, 2; French Club 3; Buckeye Boys' State 3



Sue Ann Hagaman "Susie"

Popular Music Club 1, 2; Girls' Bowling 1, 4; W-Teens 1; F. H. A. 4; French Club 2, 3



Carole Jean Hagar (Reed)

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 4; Senior Chorus 1, 2; Girls' Bowling 4; Rec. Comm. 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2; Y. F. C. 1; Spanish Club 2, 3; F. T. A. 4

Lynn M. Harris

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Choir 3, 4; Major-Minor 2; Girls' Basketball 2, 3, 4; Girls' Volleyball 3, 4; Girls' Bowling 2, 3, 4; Sports Comm. 3; F. T. A. 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 3, 4; N. F. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; Debate 1; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; Gazette Ed. Bd. 3; "Mikado" Crew 1; "Time Out For Ginger" Crew 2; "Divine Flora" Crew 3; "Caine Mutiny" Crew 3; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; Student Council 4; Senior Class Comm. 4; Latin Club 1, 2; J. C. L. 1, 2; Spanish Club 3, 4



Carolyn Sue Hasty

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 2, 3, 4; Girls' Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Capt. 3; Girls' Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; Chairman 3, 4; Girls' Tennis 1; Sports Comm. 2, 3, 4; "W" Girls 3, 4; F. T. A. 3, 4; Sec. 4; Delhi Staff 3, 4; Rec. Comm. 4; Secretary; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; "Time Out For Ginger" Crew 2; "Fortune Teller" Crew 2; "Divine Flora" Crew 3; "Caine Mutiny" Crew 3; Student Council 4; Homecoming Court 4; Latin Club 1, 2; J. C. L. 1, 2; Spanish Club 3, V. Pres.



Terry William Heineman

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Co-Capt. 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; D-Clan 3, 4; Pres. 4; Key Club 2, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Rec. Comm. 4; V. Pres. 4; Shutterbugs 1; Industrial Arts Club 1, 2; Student Council 4



Alice Y. Heinlen

Popular Music Club 4; Girls' Basketball 1, 2; Girls' Volleyball 1, 2; Girls' Bowling 1, 2; F. T. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 3, 4; N. F. L. 2, 3, 4; Debate 2; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1, 2; J. C. L. 1, 2; French Club 3, 4



Mary Bess Hilborn

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 2, 3, 4; Girls' Basketball 1, 2, 3; Girls' Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Tennis 1, 2, 3; "W" Girls 4; F. T. A. 3, 4; Delhi Staff 3, 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Gazette Ed. Bd. 3, 4; "Time Out For Ginger" Crew 3; "Fortune Teller" Crew 2; "Divine Flora" Crew 3; "Caine Mutiny" Crew 3; Student Council 1; Jr. Class Exec. Comm. 3; Senior Class Comm. 4; French Club 1, 2; Spanish Club 3, 4; Pres. 3, V. Pres. 4

Dorrance James Hill "Baby"

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; D-Clan 3, 4; Shutterbugs 1, 2; Industrial Arts Club 1, 2, 3



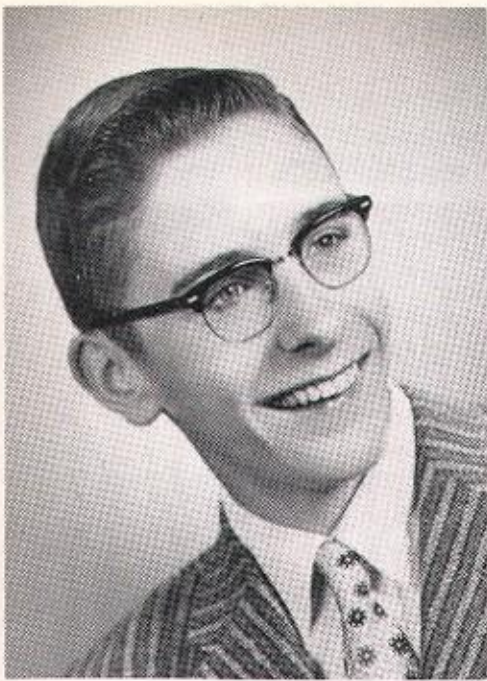
Larry Ward Hopper

Band 1, 2; Senior Choir 2, 3, 4; Senior Chorus 1; Boys' Octette 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-Capt. 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; D-Clan 1, 2, 3, 4; Key Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; "Mikado" 1; "Fortune Teller" 2; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; Student Council 4; Senior Class Comm. 4; French Club 3; Buckeye Boys' State 3

**Eleanor Jane Howard
"Susie"**

Girls' Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Tennis 1; F. T. A. 2; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross Rep.; Y. F. C. 1





Robert Dale Jaccaud "Bob"

Senior Chorus 1; F. T. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Treas. 4; Key Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 4; "Mikado" 1; Jr. Class Exec. Comm. 3; Senior Class Comm. 4; French Club 1, 2, Pres. 2; Spanish Club 3, 4, Pres. 4; Scholarship Team 1, 2, 3

Ann Louise Johnson

Senior Chorus 1; Girls' Glee Club 3; Major-Minor 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 2; Girls' Bowling 3, 4; F. T. A. 3, 4; Delhi Staff 3, 4; N. F. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; W-Teens 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3; Gazette Ed. Bd. 3, 4, Historian 4; "Mikado" 1; "Time Out For Ginger" Crew 2; "Fortune Teller" Crew 2; "Divine Flora" 3; "Caine Mutiny" Crew 3; "H. M. S. Pinafore" Crew 4; Senior Class Comm. 4; Latin Club 1, 2; J. C. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 3, 4, Pres. 4

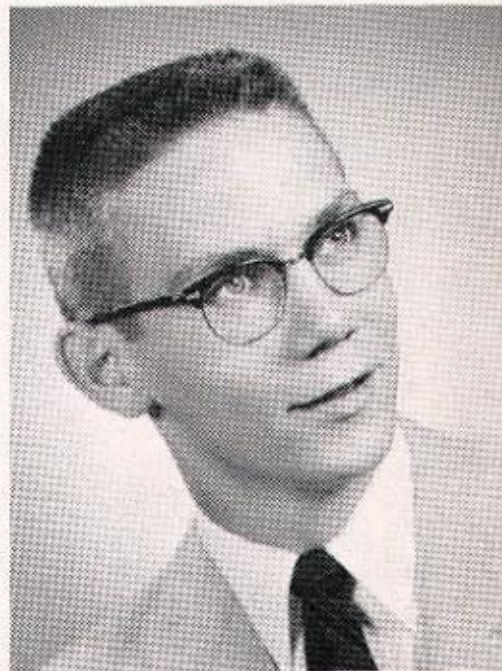


Betty Louise Johnson

Senior Choir 4; Girls' Glee Club 2, 3; Popular Music Club 2, 3; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3; Y. F. C. 2; "Mikado" 1; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4

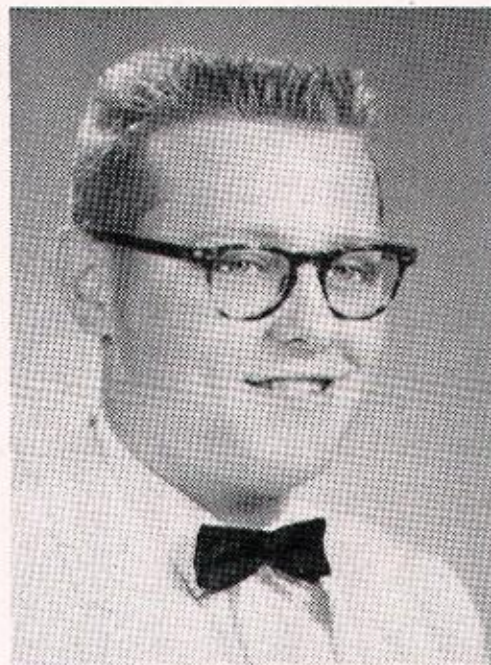
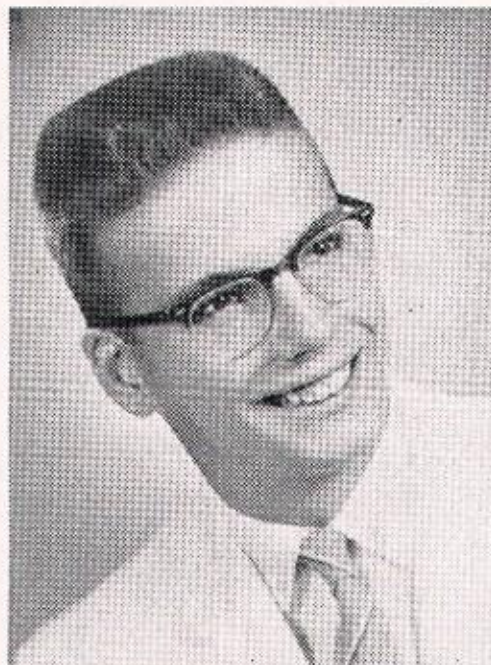
Johnnie Allison Jones

Football 4; Track 1, 3; Key Club 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Rec. Comm. 1; D. C. T. 3, 4, Sec. 3; Spanish Club 1, 2, V. Pres. 1



David Lee Landsittel

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 2, 3, 4; Senior Choir 4; Major-Minor 3, 4; Boys' Octette 4; Sultans of Swing 2, 3, 4; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4, Capt. 4; D-Clan 2, 3, 4; Key Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 2; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 2; Delhi Staff 3, 4; N. F. L. 1, 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4; Debate 1, 2, 3, 4; Gazette Ed. Bd. 4; Co-Editor 4; Quill and Scroll 3, 4; American Legion Essay Winner 1, 2; Student Council 3, 4; Scholarship Team 1, 2, 3; Latin Club 1, 2, Pres. 2, V. Pres. 1; J. C. L. 1, 2; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4

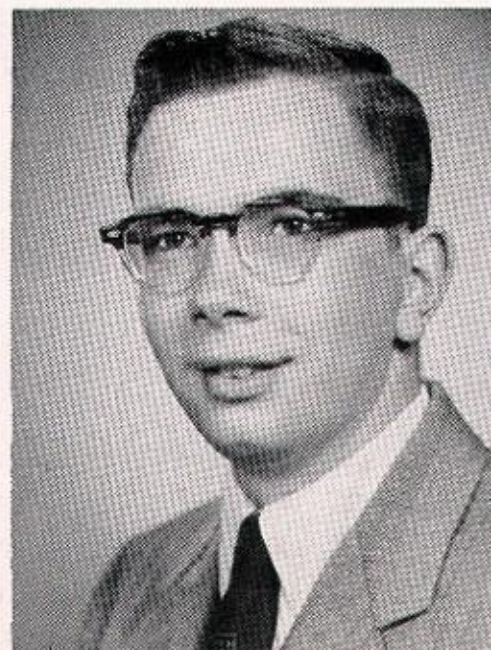


James E. Lathrop "Jim"

Shutterbugs 2

Ruth Ellen Levings

Senior Chorus 2, 3; Girls' Basketball 1, 2, 3; Girls' Basketball 1, 2, 3; Girls' Volleyball 1, 2, 3, Captain 1; Girls' Bowling 2; W-Teens 4; Y. F. C. 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 2, V. Pres. 3, Reporter 4; Spanish Club 2, 3, Exec. Comm. 3

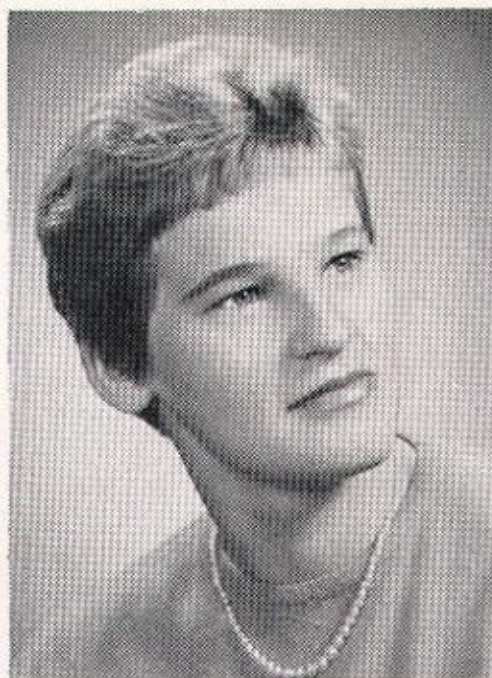


Charles Lobdell

Senior Class Comm. 4; Latin Club 1, 2; Scholarship Team 2

Judith Ann Long

Senior Chorus 1, 2; Major-Minor 4; Girls' Volleyball 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 4; Freshman Plays 1; "Mikado" 1; Senior Class Comm. 4; French Club 1, 2



Linda Lou Longwell

Band 2, 3; Majorette 2, 3; Senior Choir 3, 4; Senior Chorus 1, 2; Girls' Glee Club 2; Major-Minor 3, 4; Girls' Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2; Girls' Tennis 1, 2; Sports Comm. 3; "W" Girls 4; F. T. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 4; Thespians 2, 3, 4; "Mikado" 1; "Time Out For Ginger" Crew 2; "Fortune Teller" 2; "Divine Flora" 3; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; French Club 1, 2; Spanish Club 3, 4, Pres. 3

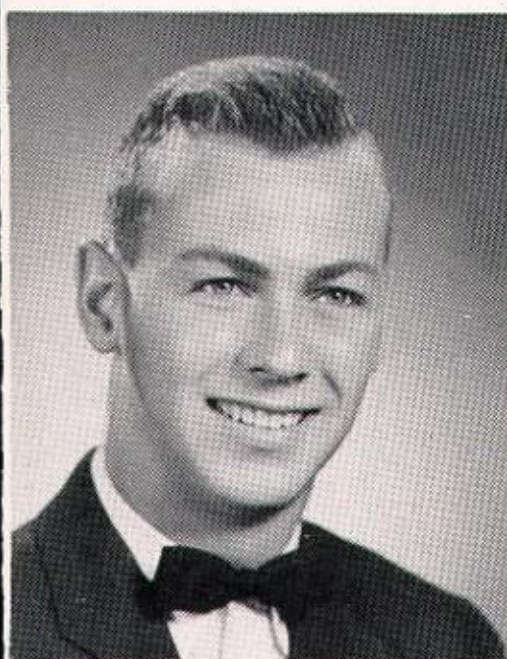
Carolyn Susan Lowry

Girls' Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 4; Girls' Tennis 3, 4; F. T. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Gazette Ed. Bd. 4; French Club 4; Sec. Treas. 4; Spanish Club 1, 2



Robert Arthur Lowry "Bob"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 1, 2, 3, 4; All-Ohio Boys' Band 2, 3; Sultans of Swing 2, 3, 4; Senior Choir 4; Major-Minor 3, 4, Pres. 4; Boys' Octette 4; Key Club 2, 3; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 4; Jr. Class Exec. Comm. 3; Senior Class Comm. 4; Latin Club, 1, 2; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4

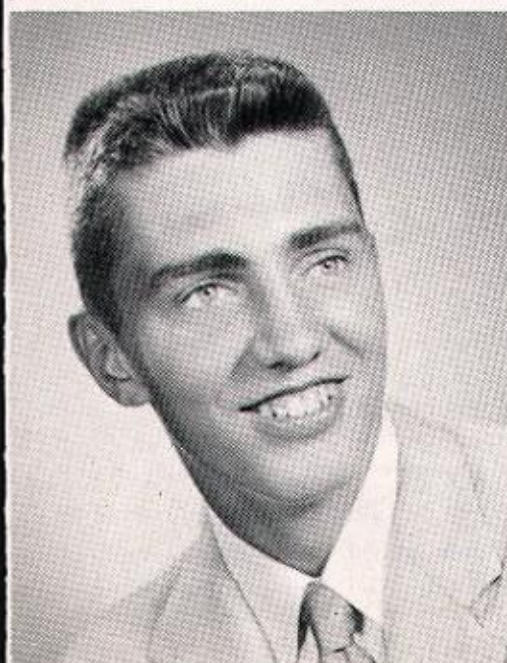


Frank Matanzo

Transferred from Mobridge, S. Dakota; Football 3; Track 3, 4; Key Club 3; Senior Class Comm. 4

Betty Marie McNamee

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; F. T. A. 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 4; Rec. Comm. 3; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1, 2; J. C. L. 1, 2



George Steward Morris

Basketball 1, 2; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 3, 4; D-Clan 2, 3, 4; Key Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Class Comm. 4; Spanish Club 1, 2

**Gwendolyn Lee Opel
"Gwen"**

Popular Music Club 1; Girls' Basketball 4; Girls' Volleyball 1; Girls' Tennis 1; Delhi Staff 4; N. F. L. 2, 3, 4, Sec. 4; Debate 2; W-Teens 2, 3, 4; Gazette Ed. Bd. 4; Thespians 3, 4; "Divine Flora" Crew 3; "Caine Mutiny" Crew 3; Senior Class Comm. 4; Latin Club 1, 2; J. C. L. 1, 2; French Club 3, 4, V. Pres. 4





Norma Jean Osborne

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 4;
F. T. A. 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff
4; N. F. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; Debate
1, 4; W-Teens 2, 3, 4; Gazette
Ed. Bd. 3, 4; Senior Class
Comm. 4; French Club 1, 2;
Spanish Club 3, 4, Sec.-Treas.
4; Scholarship Team 3

**Norma Jean Patrick
(Van Buskirk)**

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 4;
Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4;
F. T. A. 2; Delhi Staff 4;
W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior
Class Comm. 4; Latin Club
1, 2; J. C. L. 1, 2

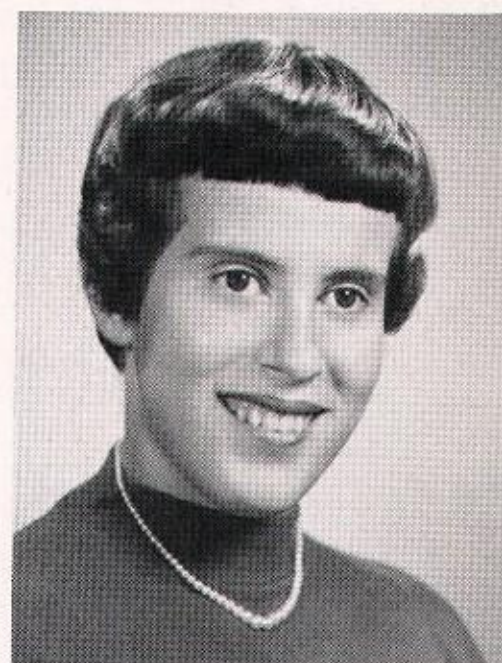


Beth Ann Perfect

Girls' Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4;
Girls' Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4;
Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4;
Sports Comm. 3, 4, Chairman
4; "W" Girls 3, 4; F. T. A.
1, 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 3, 4;
Rec. Comm. 1, V. Pres.;
W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club
4, Co-Chairman; Thespians
3, 4, Sec. 4; "Mikado" Crew
1; "Harvey" Crew 1; "Time
Out For Ginger" Crew 2;
"Sunday Costs Five Pesos"
Crew 2; "Fortune Teller"
Crew 2; "Divine Flora" Crew
3; "Caine Mutiny" Crew 3;
Senior Class Comm. 4; Latin
Club 1, 2; J. C. L. 1, 2;
French Club 3, 4

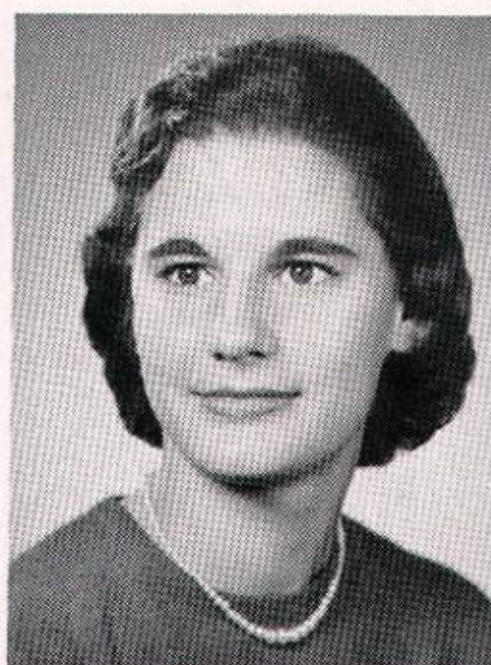
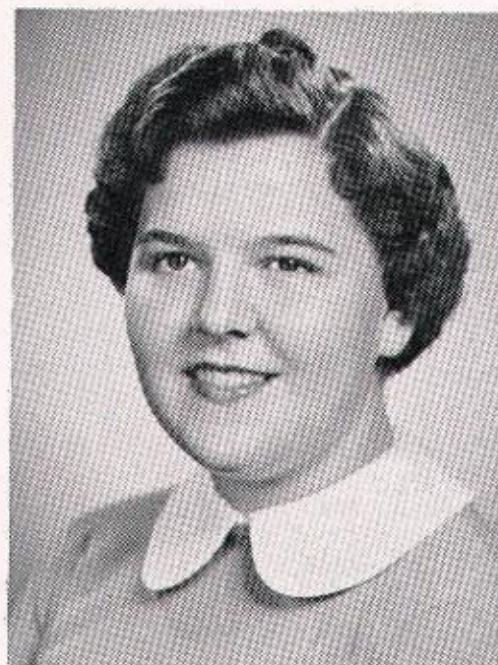
Ann Polites

Girls' Bowling 1; W-Teens
1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4,
Treas. 4



Maryalyce Pool

Popular Music Club 1; Girls'
Bowling 1; Debate 1;
W-Teens 1, 3, 4; F. H. A. 2, 3,
4; County Parliamentarian;
Latin Club 1; J. C. L. 1



Susan Shappell Pope

Senior Choir 3, 4; Senior
Chorus 1; Girls' Glee Club 2;
Major-Minor 2, 3, 4, V. Pres.
3; Triple Trio 3, 4; Girls'
Basketball 1, 4; Girls' Volley-
ball 1; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3,
4; Girls' Tennis 2, 3; F. T. A.
2; Delhi Staff 4; N. F. L. 1;
Rec. Comm. 3; W-Teens 1, 2,
3, 4, Treas. 4; Pep Club 3, 4;
Gazette Ed. Bd. 4; "Mikado"
1; "Fortune Teller" 2; "Caine
Mutiny" Crew 3; "H. M. S.
Pinafore" 4; Senior Class
Comm. 4; Spanish Club 2, 3

Datha R. Ramey

Senior Choir 4; Senior
Chorus 2; Girls' Glee Club 3;
Major-Minor 2, 3, 4, Treas. 4;
Girls' Volleyball 1; Girls'
Bowling 1; F. T. A. 2, 3, 4;
Delhi Staff 4; W-Teens 1, 2,
3, 4; Gazette Ed. Bd. 4;
"Fortune Teller" 2; "H. M. S.
Pinafore" 4; Latin Club 1, 2;
J. C. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish
Club 3, 4



Janice Carol Ramey

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 4;
Sultans of Swing 3, 4; Senior
Choir 4; Senior Chorus 1;
Girls' Glee Club 2, 3; Major-
Minor 2, 3, 4, Pres. 3; Triple
Trio 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2;
F. T. A. 2, 3, 4; W-Teens 1, 2,
3, 4; Gazette Ed. Bd. 4;
"Mikado" 1; "Fortune Teller"
2; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; Jr.
Class Exec. Comm. 3; Latin
Club 1, 2, V. Pres. 2

Ruth Ann Rardon

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 2, 3, 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 1, 2



Keith John Ray

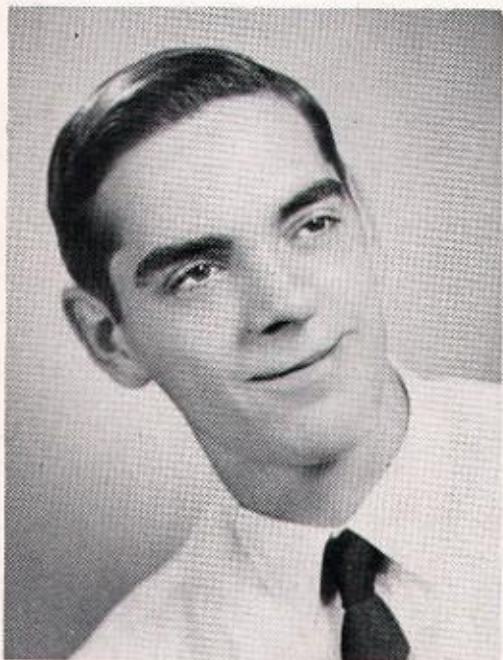
William Roberts "Bill"

Basketball 1; Football 1, 2; Tennis 1, 2; D-Clan 2, 3, 4; Key Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 1, 4; N. F. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; Debate 1, 2, 3, 4; Industrial Arts Club 4; "Divine Flora" 3; Student Council 1; Latin Club 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 3, 4; V. Pres. 3



Virginia Elizabeth Robinson "Ginny"

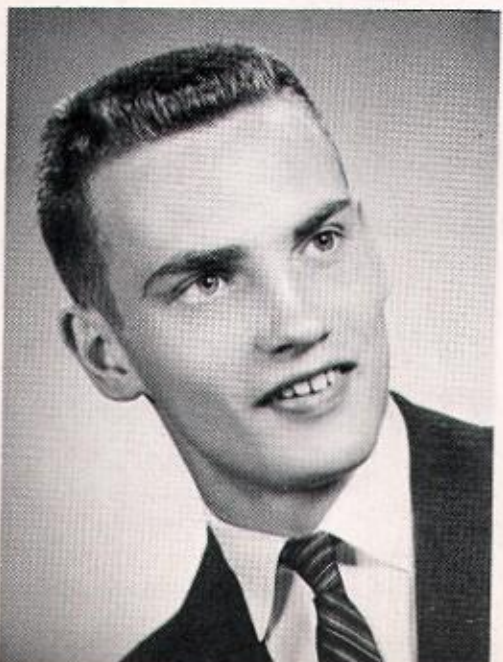
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4, Capt. 2, 3; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 1, 2



Harold E. Rucker

Judith Ann Seidl "Judy"

Girls' Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4, Capt. 1; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Tennis 1; Sports Comm. 2; "W" Girls 3, 4; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4, Capt. 2; F. T. A. 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 3, 4; Asst. Bus. Mgr. 3; N. F. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; Debate 1, 2, 3, 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Gazette Ed. Bd. 4; Thespians 3, 4; "Time Out For Ginger" 2; "Fortune Teller" 2; "Divine Flora" 3; "Caine Mutiny" 3; Student Council 2, 3, 4, Sec. 4; Student Body Officers 4, Sec. 4; Class Officers 2, 3, Pres. 3; Jr. Class Exec. Comm. 3; Senior Class Comm. 4; Homecoming Court 4; Latin Club 1, 2; J. C. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; Scholarship Team 1, 2, 3



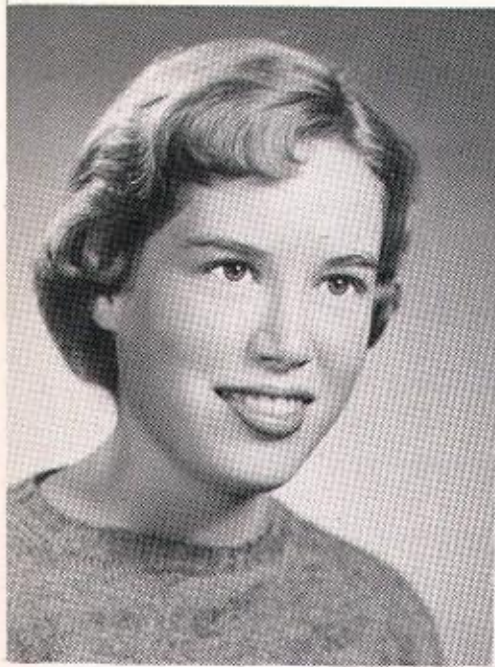
Donald Shaw "Don"

Solo and Ensemble Contest 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Major-Minor 3, 4; Sultans of Swing 2, 3, 4; Leader; Football 1; Track 1; F. T. A. 4; Key Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Comm. Chairman; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 3, 4; Scholarship Team 2; Student Council 4, V. Pres.; Class Officers 4, Pres. 4; Jr. Class Exec. Comm. 3; Senior Class Comm. 4; Latin Club 1, 2

James Ira Shaw "Nub"

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 4; D-Clan 3, 4; F. F. A. 1, 2, 4





Elizabeth Shearman "Betsy"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 2, 3, 4; Senior Choir 3, 4; Senior Chorus 1; Girls' Glee Club 2; Major-Minor 3, 4, V. Pres. 4; Girls' Basketball 4; Girls' Volleyball 2, 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 4; Tennis 2; Sports Comm. 4, Sec. 4; F. T. A. 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 3, 4; N. F. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; Debate 1; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3; Gazette Ed. Bd. 3, 4; "Mikado" 1; "Fortune Teller" 2; "Divine Flora" Crew 3; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; Senior Class Comm. 4; Latin Club 1, 2; J. C. L. 1, 2; Spanish Club 3, 4, Social Chairman 3

Mary Anne Sheets

Senior Choir 3, 4; Senior Chorus 1, 2; Girls' Glee Club 2; Triple Trio 3; Girls' Basketball 1, 2; Girls' Volleyball 1, 2; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; Capt. 2, 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3; F. H. A. 4; "Mikado" 1; "Fortune Teller" 2; "Caine Mutiny" Crew 3; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; French Club 1, 2; Spanish Club 3, 4, Sec.-Treas. 3



Nancy Slagle "Slug"

Senior Choir 3, 4; Senior Chorus 1; Girls' Glee Club 2; Girls' Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Capt. 1; Girls' Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Tennis 1, 2, 3; Sports Comm. 3; "W" Girls 3, 4; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4, Capt. 1, Co-Capt. 3; F. T. A. 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 3, 4; N. F. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sec. 4; Gazette Ed. Bd. 3, 4; Scholarship Team 3; Thespians 3, 4; "Mikado" 1; "Time Out For Ginger" Crew 2; "Fortune Teller" 2; "Divine Flora" Crew 3; "Caine Mutiny" Crew 3; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; Student Council 3; Class Officers 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec.-Treas. 1, Treas. 2, 3, 4; Jr. Class Exec. Comm. 3; Senior Class Comm. 4; Homecoming Queen 4; Latin Club 1, 2, Sec. 1; J. C. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 3, 4, V. Pres. 3, Social Chairman 4



Melinda Jeanne Skatz

Girls' Basketball 1, 2; Girls' Volleyball 1, 2; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; F. T. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Historian 4; Delhi Staff 4; Rec. Comm. 2; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3; F. H. A. 4; French Club 3, 4, Social Chairman 3; Spanish Club 1, 2, Social Chairman 1



**Mary Louise Stanley
"Mary Lou"**

Senior Choir 3, 4; Girls' Basketball 4; Girls' Volleyball 1, 4, Capt. 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 4, Capt. 4; Delhi Staff 4; W-Teens 1, 3, 4; Pep Club 3; F. H. A. 1, 2; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4

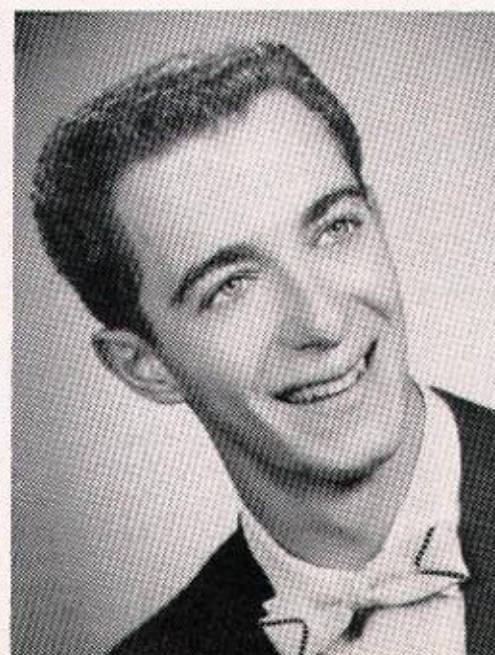


Julia Anne Strimer "Strim"

Senior Choir 3, 4; Senior Chorus 1; Girls' Glee Club 2; Major-Minor 3, 4; Triple Trio 3, 4; Girls' Basketball 1; Girls' Volleyball 1, 3, 4; Girls' Bowling 1; Sports Comm. 3; Cheerleader 1, 2; F. T. A. 4; Delhi Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Editor 4; N. F. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; Debate 1; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Gazette Ed. Bd. 4; Thespians 3, 4; "Mikado" 1; "Time Out For Ginger" 2; "Fortune Teller" 2; "Divine Flora" 3; "Caine Mutiny" 3; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; "Midsummer Night's Dream" 4; Student Council 4; Homecoming Court 4; Fair Queen 4; Latin Club 1, 2, Sec. 2; J. C. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; Scholarship Team 1, 2, 3

Nancy Marie Swam

Transferred from Elm Valley Senior year. F. T. A. 4; Debate 4



James Mac Swope "Sparkie"

Track 3, 4; Intramurals 3; Industrial Arts Club 3, 4, Pres. 3

Mary Judy Teele

Band 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 2, 3, 4; Senior Choir 3, 4; Senior Chorus 1; Girls' Glee Club 2; Major-Minor 1, 2, 3, 4, V. Pres. 2, Sec. 3; Triple Trio 3, 4; Girls' Basketball 1, 4; Girls' Volleyball 1, 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Tennis 1, 3; F. T. A. 4; Delhi Staff 1, 4; N. F. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; Debate 1, 2; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3; Gazette Ed. Bd. 3, 4, Co-Editor 4; Thespians 2, 3, 4; Freshman Play 1; "Mikado" 1; "Sunday Costs Five Pesos" 2; "Fortune Teller" 2; "Divine Flora" 3; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; "A Midsummer Night's Dream" 4; Class Officers 2, Sec.; Jr. Class Exec. Comm. 4; Senior Class Comm. 4; Latin Club 1, 2, Sec. 1, Pres. 2; J. C. L. 1, 2, Pres. 2; Scholarship Team 1, 2, 3



Karen Marie Thornbury "Thorny"

Transferred from St. Albans H. S., West Virginia, Jr. year. Girls' Basketball 3, 4; Girls' Volleyball 3, 4; Girls' Bowling 3, 4; F. T. A. 3, 4; Red Cross Rep. 3; Delhi Staff 3, 4, Bus. Mgr. 4; W-Teens 3, 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Gazette Ed. Bd. 4; "Caine Mutiny" Crew 3; Senior Class Comm. 4; Latin Club 3; J. C. L. 3, 4



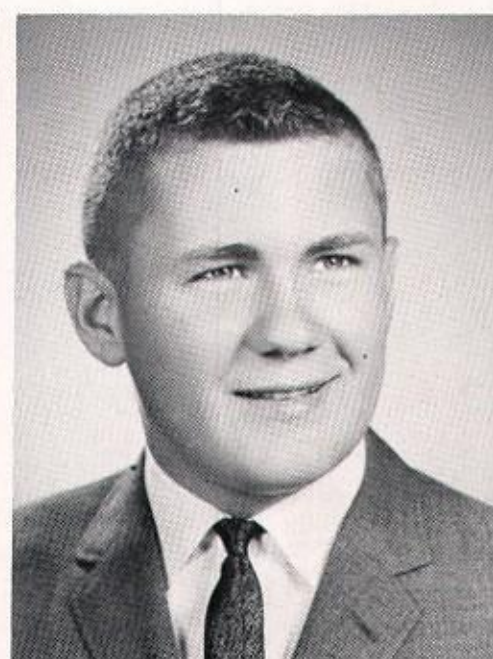
Margaret Ann Vance "Maggie"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Basketball 1, 3, 4; Girls' Volleyball 3, 4; Girls' Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Sports Comm. 3, 4; "W" Girls 4; F. T. A. 2, 3, 4; Delhi Staff 3, 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; "Divine Flora" Crew 3; "Caine Mutiny" Crew 3; Class Officers 3, 4, Sec. 3, 4; Jr. Class Exec. Comm. 3; Senior Class Comm. 4; Latin Club 1, 2, Sec. 2; J. C. L. 1, 2, 3, 4



Hal H. Wyss "Halford"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Choir 4; Senior Chorus 1; Major-Minor 3, 4; Boys' Octette 4; Scholarship Team 1, 2, 3; Basketball 3, 4, Statistician; Track 1; Intramurals 3; Sultans of Swing 2, 3, 4; Quill and Scroll 4; Key Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, V. Pres. 3; Delhi Staff 3, 4; N. F. L. 1, 2, 3, 4; Debate 1, 2, 4, V. Pres. 2; Gazette Ed. Bd. 4; "Mikado" 1; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; Student Council 3, 4; Senior Class Comm. 4; Latin Club 1, 2; J. C. L. 1, 2; Buckeye Boys' State 3



Margaret Helen Young

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 3, 4; Senior Choir 3, 4; Senior Chorus 1; Girls' Glee Club 2; Major-Minor 2, 3, 4; W-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; "Mikado" 1; "Fortune Teller" 2; "H. M. S. Pinafore" 4; Spanish Club 1, 3

Paul Arnold Grant

Transferred from Mt. Vernon Academy Soph. year. Football 3, 4; Track 3; Baseball 2, 3; Intramurals 1, 3, 4; Industrial Arts Club 3, 4; V. Pres.; Spanish Club 2

Sandra Jean Jones

Transferred from Akron in Junior year

Frederick J. Maggard "Fred"

Ramon William Simpson

Popular Music Club 3, 4; Shutterbugs 1, 2; Industrial Arts Club 1, 2, 3, 4

John D. Tennar

Intramurals 1; D. C. T. 3, 4

JUNIORS



H. Acker	J. Arnold	P. Arthur	L. Axline	J. Bachelor	D. Baird	A. Barker	L. Barrett	J. Barris
B. Barton	G. Bauman	E. Bennett	J. Bishop	L. Bobula	K. Bolen	S. Borland	J. Brown	D. Byus
J. Cain	W. Carnes	E. Coakley	C. Comston	T. Cowan	D. Crank	J. Crawford	J. Cross	W. Dalton
J. Deel	K. Deel	B. Denton	J. DeWalt	C. Deyo	J. Downie	R. Duffy	W. Ebright	C. Ellis
J. Finch	C. Fisher	G. Fournoy	L. Gale	S. Gatton	N. Glaze	J. Green	L. Hall	S. Hall
K. Hardin	J. Harter	H. Hearn	J. Hilborn	K. Hirning	J. Holmes	R. Holt	D. Hopkins	M. Householder



J. Hudson	J. Hutchisson	L. Jackson	J. Jones	J. Jordan	J. Knight	L. Kroninger	B. Lawson	B. Lobdell
S. Lowe	J. Lowry	B. Mackley	S. Matthews	G. McDonald	S. Mead	L. Mills	R. Montgomery	D. Mooney
J. Moore	L. Morgan	B. Murfield	B. Murphy	D. O'Keefe	G. Parks	C. Parmer	M. Patrick	R. Patrick
K. Payne	M. Pickens	R. Ramsey	P. Rayburn	J. Reed	M. Reed	M. Rider	S. Ross	J. Rutledge
T. Rybolt	L. Schaffner	A. Shackelford	M. Shenefield	M. Smith	M. Spencer	J. Talkington	R. Ufferman	L. Ward
J. Wickham	L. Williams	B. Wilson	D. Wilson	J. Wilson	S. Wilson	T. Winship	D. Wirick	S. Wygle
								B. Ziegler

SOPHOMORE



N. Allison	C. Bachelor	J. Baker	S. Baker	L. Balch	J. Ballard	H. Banks	R. Bennett	K. Bensley	P. Bibler
M. Bigony	E. Bills	C. Bird	M. Blackledge	D. Blain	B. Blair	B. Bollinger	R. Bonner	D. Boster	W. Brown
R. Bucklew	B. Buckley	J. Burkhart	D. Burrer	S. Buzard	D. Byerly	P. Cain	A. Campbell	B. Carnes	J. Case
W. Casey	C. Cordial	M. Cottrill	E. Counts	C. Courter	J. Cox	M. Cranor	D. Cross	J. Cummins	D. Davenport
D. Dent	D. Dickey	C. Disbennett	J. Ditslear	D. Dorsey	M. Dorsey	B. Elder	P. Fichtner	P. Fidler	J. Fillinger
B. Fleming	F. Fleming	C. Fogle	S. Foor	T. Freeman	J. Furniss	R. Gale	T. Gallant	I. Gardner	N. Gary
C. Graham	D. Griffiths	P. Hagaman	C. Hahn	C. Hair	N. Harris	J. Hayes	L. Hedges	G. Henery	L. Hill
J. Hoffman	M. Hopkins	B. Howison	D. Hursey	N. Jackson	E. Jaynes	A. Jeisel	T. Jervis	J. Johns	E. Jones



M. Jordan	M. Kellar	R. Keller	E. Kern	T. King	M. Kintz	P. Lazdins	R. Lee	J. Liggett	J. Little
T. Longwell	D. Lowry	L. Lowry	J. Marburger	S. Martin	T. Masters	I. Matanzo	T. Mather	K. McBride	K. McElfresh
P. Mercer	G. Miller	N. Moses	M. Munday	S. Murphy	J. Oberlander	D. Oberle	L. Owen	D. Penn	L. Phelps
P. Piper	M. Plogher	T. Pope	R. Poulton	S. Poulton	N. Price	J. Raile	S. Ramey	P. Ramsey	W. Rapp
F. Roberts	V. Roberts	D. Robinson	W. Rose	P. Rupe	W. Russell	N. Schunck	D. Segner	T. Sell	B. Simpson
T. Skatzes	J. Slane	G. Smith	P. Smith	W. Smith	E. Starkey	G. Tagg	K. Terry	M. Thatcher	D. Thompson
A. Toney	L. Turney	W. Waldie	D. Ward	D. Wardle	H. Welch	E. Welsh	F. Welsh	D. Whetsel	P. Williams
J. Wilson	S. Yoder	J. Young	G. Zimmerman	J. Zimmerman					

FRESHMEN



S. Acker T. Ackley E. Amick S. Anderson S. Arnold J. Askins K. Baird L. Barrett J. Barringer S. Bayliff M. Bennett
 B. Benton D. Berry G. Berry D. Bertram C. Blackledge M. Blair L. Brackney S. Brimhall W. Brokaw K. Brown V. Brown
 G. Buckingham G. Bump D. Bunten R. Bunten K. Burdette D. Burns L. Burrer E. Butt F. Caldwell S. Call T. Campbell
 M. Carson M. Casey J. Clark S. Clark W. Cooke S. Coover S. Corwin T. Crist D. Dalton D. Daurer C. Davis
 H. Dawson A. Deel A. Deel H. Deel J. Dever V. DeVries P. DeWitt S. Dickey M. Dixon M. Doland M. Donegan
 S. Donovan S. Dorsey R. Downing T. Dunham R. Ebright J. Eishen C. Ellis D. Evans R. Evans N. Firestone T. Flanagan
 A. Flemming T. Flemming J. Flounoy S. Flowers C. Frederick E. Freeman J. Freeman H. Gale S. Geesman R. George W. Giles
 B. Graham G. Gray V. Gross R. Hackel K. Hall H. Hatten A. Hawkins B. Henry J. Holmes C. Horn N. Hough
 P. Householder J. Hughes F. Hunt C. Hyduke G. Ingle B. Ingraham D. Jackson L. Johnson K. Jones S. Kiernan L. Klump



K. Lavender L. Lawson R. Lumbard C. Main L. Marlowe D. Matthews P. Maxey M. Maxwell N. McDonald J. Means G. Miller
 J. Miller J. Mitchell A. Moore R. Morey C. Morgan R. Morrison C. Mullins K. Murfield J. Myers P. Myers L. Newhouse
 R. Nutt L. Nutter J. Oberlander F. Oehler S. O'Keefe K. Oller P. Oman S. Organ C. Owen S. Parks D. Patrick
 S. Patrick D. Patterson B. Payne B. Payne G. Phillips S. Piper C. Pinney J. Plogher N. Pool G. Pope J. Rapp
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 W. Sampson K. Sanderson S. Saulsbury J. Scheiderer G. Schultz S. Scott T. Shaw L. Sheets L. Shelton J. Shirling M. Shuster
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 C. Townsel M. Vincent V. Vining T. Vipperman G. Wanzo M. Wareham W. Watson C. Welch D. Welch J. Welch K. Welch
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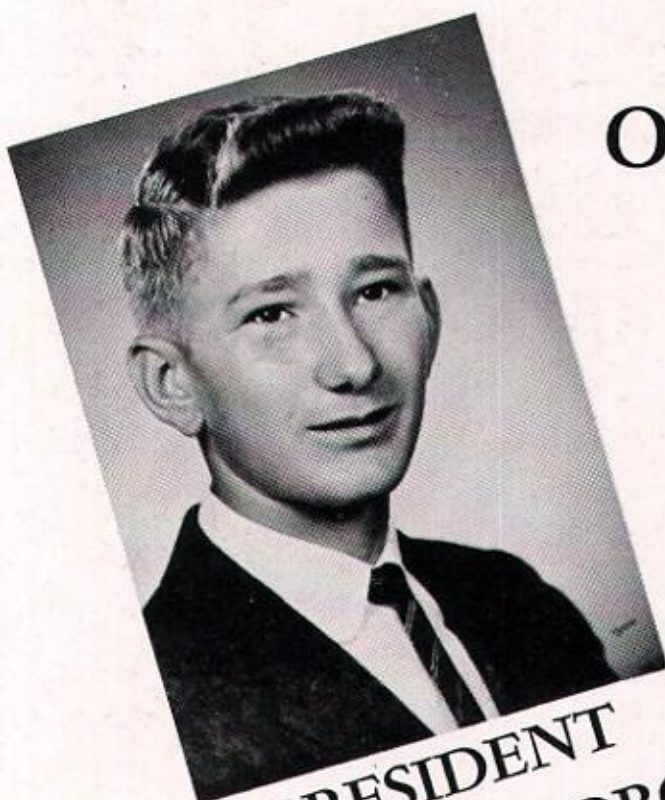
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STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council, under the guidance of principal Thomas D. Graham, strived to promote co-operation between the students and faculty in solving school problems. Under the direction of the student body officers, president Albert George and secretary Judy Seidl, the twenty-seven representatives from classes and major clubs met to discuss the welfare of the school.

The group planned all Homecoming activities and helped plan all assemblies. Something new was tried this year by inviting other schools to visit Willis as well as the Willis Student Council visiting other schools. The plan worked out very well and eight schools came to compare their schools with Willis. Willis council members also traveled to eight other schools to gain new ideas.

STUDENT BODY OFFICERS



PRESIDENT
ALBERT GEORGE



SECRETARY
JUDY SEIDL



Front row: Miss Benson, M. Vance, J. Felts, D. Shaw, N. Slagle, Miss Bussard
 Second row: C. Lobdell, H. Wyss, J. Long, C. Glaze, M. Evans, A. Johnson, G. Opel, J. Ramey, S. Pope, N. Osborne, N. Patrick, M. Teele, L. Harris, M. Hilborn, K. Thornbury
 Third row: J. Seidl, B. Perfect, L. Carlisle, L. Bayliff, B. Jaccaud, F. Matanzo, A. Hackel, B. Lowry, L. Hopper, B. Shearman, C. Blair, J. Allen, Mr. Moist

SENIOR CLASS COMMITTEES

The senior class officers, committees and sponsors are in charge of all work concerning the senior activities. This year's officers were Don Shaw, president; Jeanne Felts, vice-president; Margaret Vance, secretary-treasurer, and Nancy Slagle, treasurer.

The sponsors were Miss Bussard, Miss Benson, Mr. Felts, Mr. Moist, Mr. Slasor, Mrs. Hearn, and Mr. Ross. The committee chairmen were as follows: invitation, Carolyn Blair; gift, Frank Matanzo; speaker for graduation, Ann Johnson; breakfast, Bob Jaccaud, and all night party, Lynda Bayliff.



Front row: Miss Russell, K. Hardin, B. Ufferman, M. Reed, J. Barris, Mrs. Barger
 Second row: G. McDonald, M. Patrick, J. Hilborn, T. Cowan, T. Rybolt, Mr. Creasy, L. Axline, J. Hudson, L. Schaffner, P. Rayburn, C. Fisher

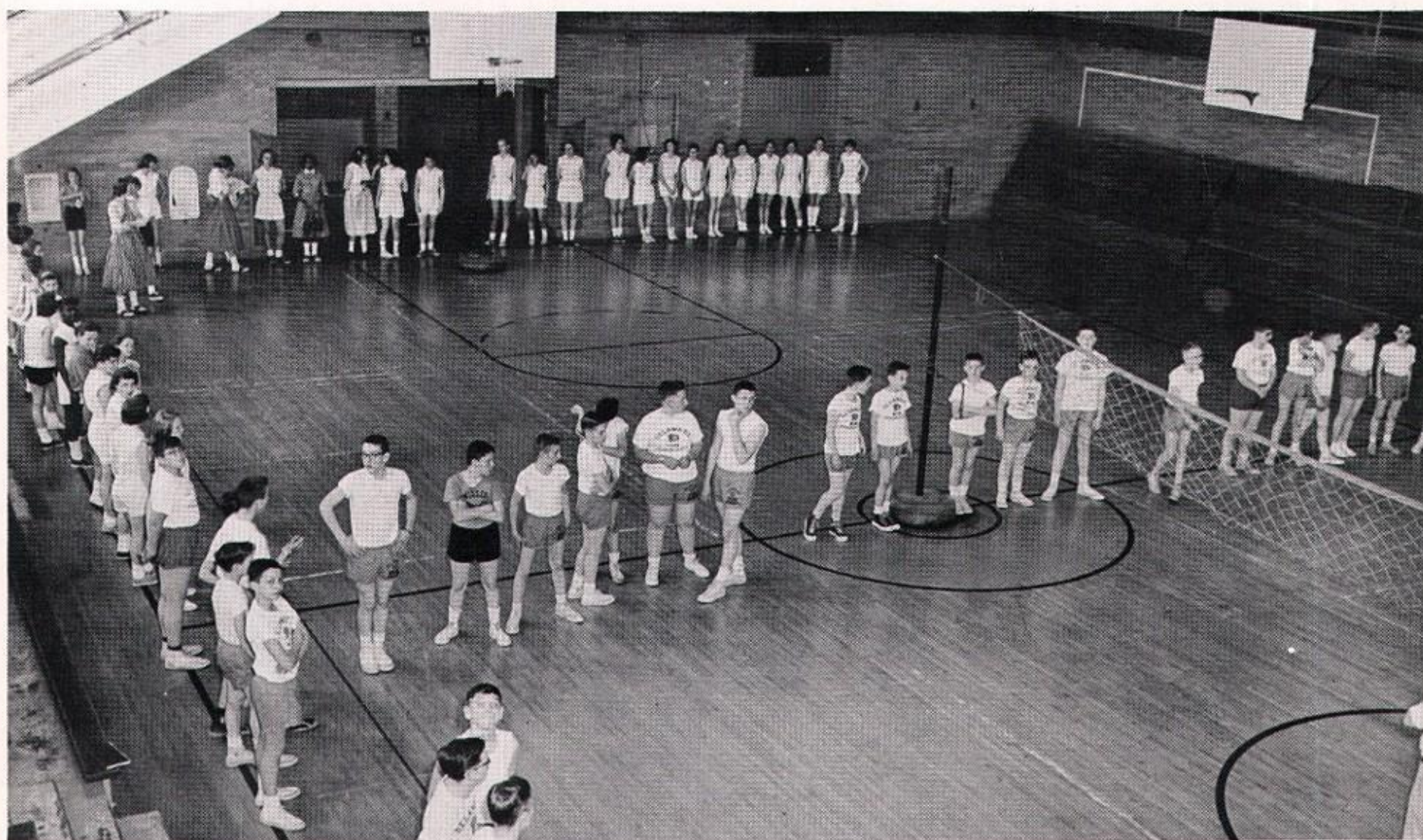
JUNIOR CLASS EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Junior Class Executive Committee was led by class sponsors Mrs. Barger, Miss Russell, Mr. Creasy, and Mr. Cornwell. The officers were Bob Ufferman, president; Marcia Reed, vice-president; Kay Hardin, secretary, and Joan Barris, treasurer.

The executive committee was made up of three representatives from each home room. These representatives, working with the sponsors and officers, have been in charge of all the money-making projects carried on by the junior class. The money was spent on the Junior-Senior Banquet and dance held on May 16 at the Ohio Wesleyan University Memorial Union.



AUDITORIUM — Here we do everything from classwork to operettas . . .



GYMNASIUM — and here, the range is from folk dancing to basketball.



LIBRARY — This is the place
where we find food for the mind . . .



CAFETERIA — and here we
find it for our bodies.

LANGUAGES — We learn to speak and use our own language . . .



Senior English is a college preparatory course which deals with English language and literature. This year, the first semester was devoted to the language and its applications, including the annual research paper. The second semester dealt with the great writers of England and their works.

Under the direction of Miss Whitted, the students are provided with a solid background for future college requirements. Miss Whitted was assisted by Mrs. Reed, director of class work for the Gazette High School Page.



Business English is a course offered to students who plan to go into business or secretarial work. As in other English classes, the pupils learn the various parts of speech and types of sentence structure. In addition to this, they learn to apply these forms of grammar by writing business letters. Miss McCarley instructed the Business English Class this year.



One of the required courses for freshmen is English. This class provides them with the firm foundation in our language that will be invaluable in every other high school course. These freshmen learn how greatly their command of English can influence their future plans from reciting poetry to doing special projects on material read, variety in the freshman English class prepares the newcomers for what lies ahead.

and also the languages of other countries.



Latin is a two year course under the direction of Mrs. Evans. The first year is devoted primarily to the study of grammar, while the second year is concerned mainly with translation. Both classes learn a great deal about the Roman and Greek culture and mythology. In April, the classes held a "Feast of the Boundaries," complete with tunics, togas, and "slaves," selected from the first year students.



French is a two-year course taught by Miss Bussard. As in other language courses, French does not deal with grammar alone, but is also concerned with the people and customs of France. The students are given the opportunity to join the French Clubs and thus add to their knowledge of the land and the language. There are three classes in this subject.

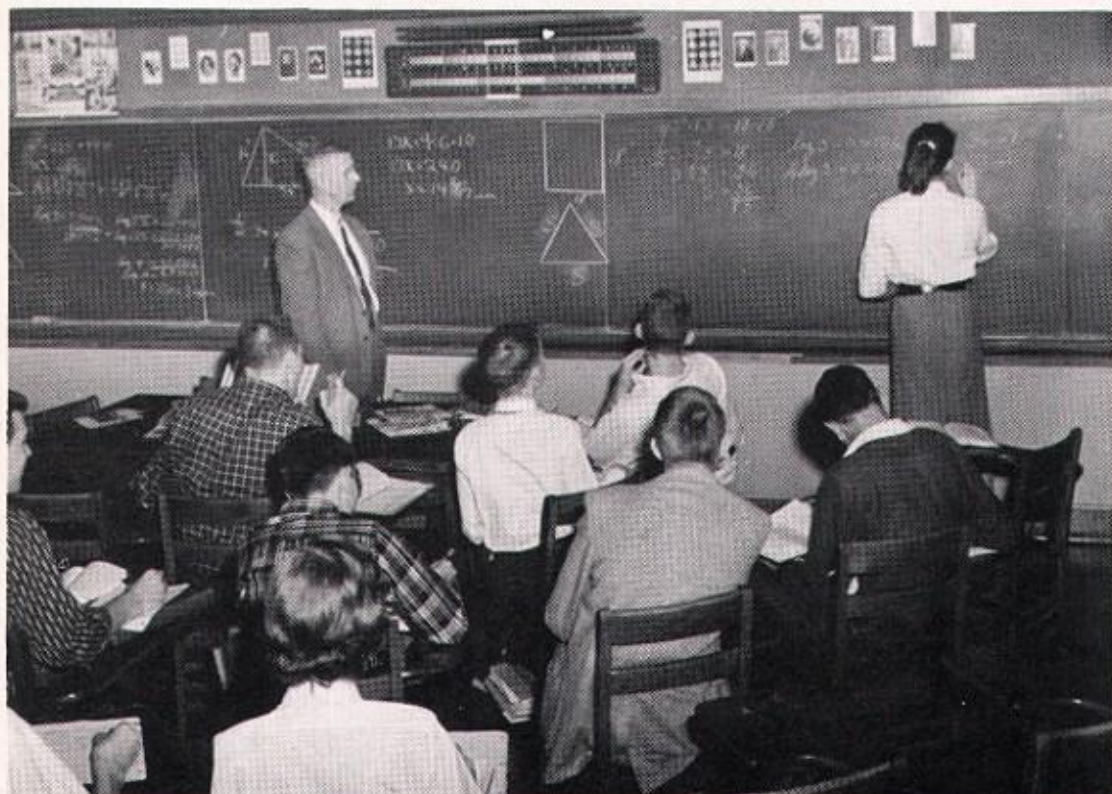


Spanish, like the other two foreign languages offered at Willis, is a two-year course. Miss Bussard also instructs this subject, and she has two Spanish classes in addition to the three French groups. Students studying in this field may join the Spanish Clubs, and thus put to use their knowledge of the language and life of Spain.

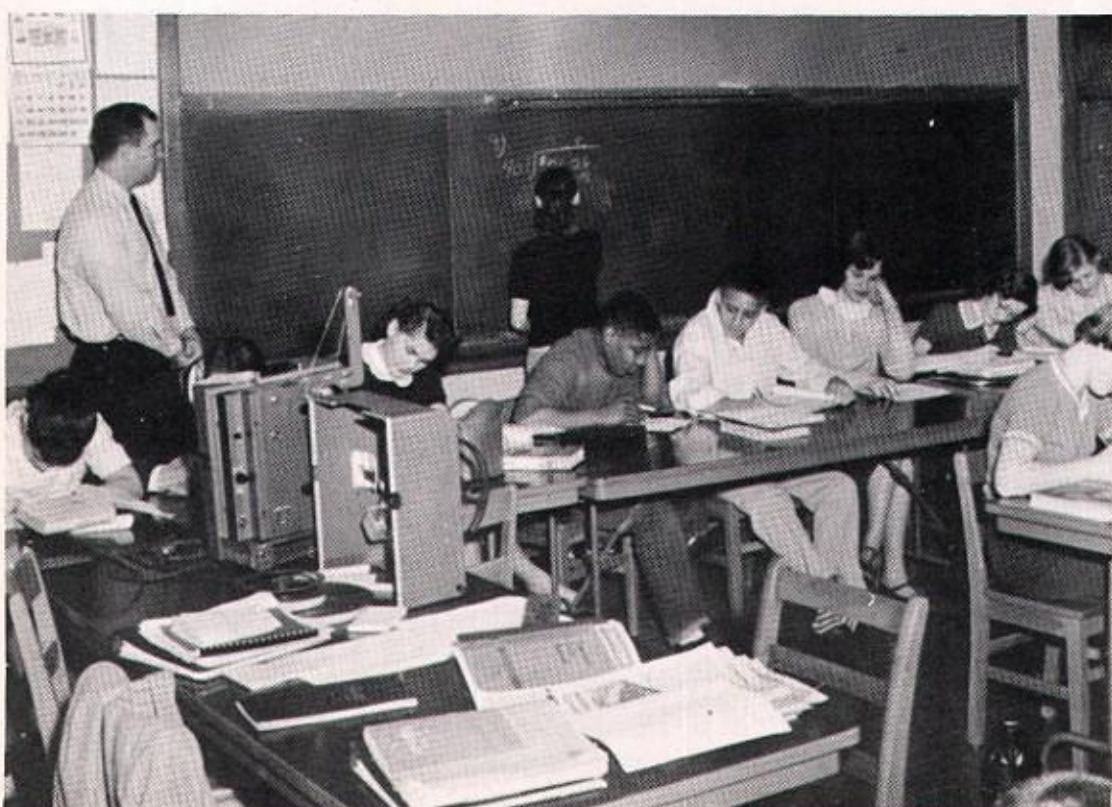
MATH AND SCIENCE — Here our studies everything from classwork to operettas . . .



Advanced math consists of trigonometry, solid geometry, and algebra II and III. The class pictured is a senior trigonometry one. Mr. Felts presents the material in a unique manner, and his success is made obvious by the genuine interest shown by all of his students. From constructing miniature geometric figures to studying the various aspects of the plane triangle, Willis math students obtain a basic knowledge of the important mathematical processes.



Plane geometry is a course offered in the sophomore year, which deals with two dimensional figures. The students learn about parallel lines, axioms and postulates, analytic and synthetic proof, and the various geometric figures. The class, along with the algebra I course offered in the freshman year, gives the student a solid foundation for the advanced math courses. Mr. Felts is head of the mathematics department, and instructs this class.



Mr. Dave Thomas is pictured instructing one of three classes in the general study of mathematics. This course covers many aspects of arithmetic which are essential to the general knowledge of today's students. Students practice the four basic phases of math — addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division. They also learn to apply these steps to realistic problems of everyday life.

and here, from an earthworm
to the conquest of outer space.



Physics is the most advanced science course offered at Willis High School. The class deals with energy and matter in several different phases: heat, light, sound, mechanics, and electricity. The students performed experiments, saw films, and took trips to add to their knowledge of this subject. This class, as well as the other science courses, helped students in their projects work. Mr. Slasor taught this class.



Chemistry is the first of the higher sciences taught at Willis and deals with the composition of matter. Mr. Slasor's valuable personal information creates both a stimulating atmosphere for chemistry. This year, a great many of the chemistry students have spent hours delving into the vast unknown and coming up with fascinating projects. Even if a student is not planning a career in science, chemistry provides an understanding necessary for successful living.



The freshmen who take the biology course offered at Willis find that they receive a solid background for the higher science courses that will confront them in both high school and college. The work on individual projects allowed students to understand extensively a specific area of the subject. The general study of the human body left the student with valuable knowledge of a complicated organism. Biology is definitely an addition to the basis for a well-rounded education.

ARTS AND SKILLS—These arts help us to enjoy the world around us . . .



Art is a course which helps the student express his feelings and ideas through painting, ceramics, carving, leather craft, figure drawing, metal enameling, stenciling, design, printing, three-dimensional work, and textile decoration. It gives the student a means by which he may communicate these ideas to others as well as himself. Mrs. Patingale instructs the combined class of beginning and advanced students.



Home Economics is a four-year elective course for senior high girls. The class deals with four major areas; clothing, foods, home furnishing, and family relations. The girls are required to do three projects in their freshman year and four per year as upperclassmen; these must be related to their classwork. In the senior year, girls stress the management of time and money in preparation for their role as future homemakers. Mrs. Hulbert and Mrs. Jones instruct the six classes.



The various vocal groups at Willis give the student an opportunity to use and improve his musical ability. The group pictured here is a junior high music class, where students learn the fundamentals of good singing, such as correct posture, breathing, phrasing, and pronunciation. In senior high, the student must demonstrate his vocal ability in order to become a member of the Senior High Chorus Girls' Glee Club, and Senior High Choir.

and these skills teach us how to work within this world.



Industrial Arts include many various kinds of work. This picture shows ninth grade class working on mechanical drawing. This class spends one semester on mechanical drawing and another on printing and house wiring. This freshman course gives the ninth-grader a solid background for future work in the woodworking and metal laboratories. This class is conducted by Mr. Bowman.



Woodshop and Metal Shop are the two laboratories where sophomores, juniors, and seniors continue their work in the field of industrial arts. This picture shows a group working in the woodshop. Other areas of study include plastic, electric and gas welding, sheet metal, and machines. This wide range of study gives the students ample opportunity to choose an occupation. These courses are under the supervision of Mr. Bowman.



Business Education is a course of study which includes typing, bookkeeping, shorthand, office practice, business English, and commercial mathematics. The picture shows a class in typing, one of the important areas in the business field. It is recommended that all students have some knowledge about the various aspects of this course because business is a vital part of our world. Teachers in the field of Business Education are Miss Benson, Miss McCarley, and Miss Russell.

SOCIAL STUDIES — This field deals with the history and growth of man.



World History, an elective course for sophomores, traces the development of man from the prehistoric era up to modern times. The class deals with many areas of civilization—cultural, political, and social. Through the study of the world's history, the students learn how closely the growth of our own country is interwoven with that of other nations. Mrs. Orland instructs two sections of this project, and Mr. Moist teaches one.

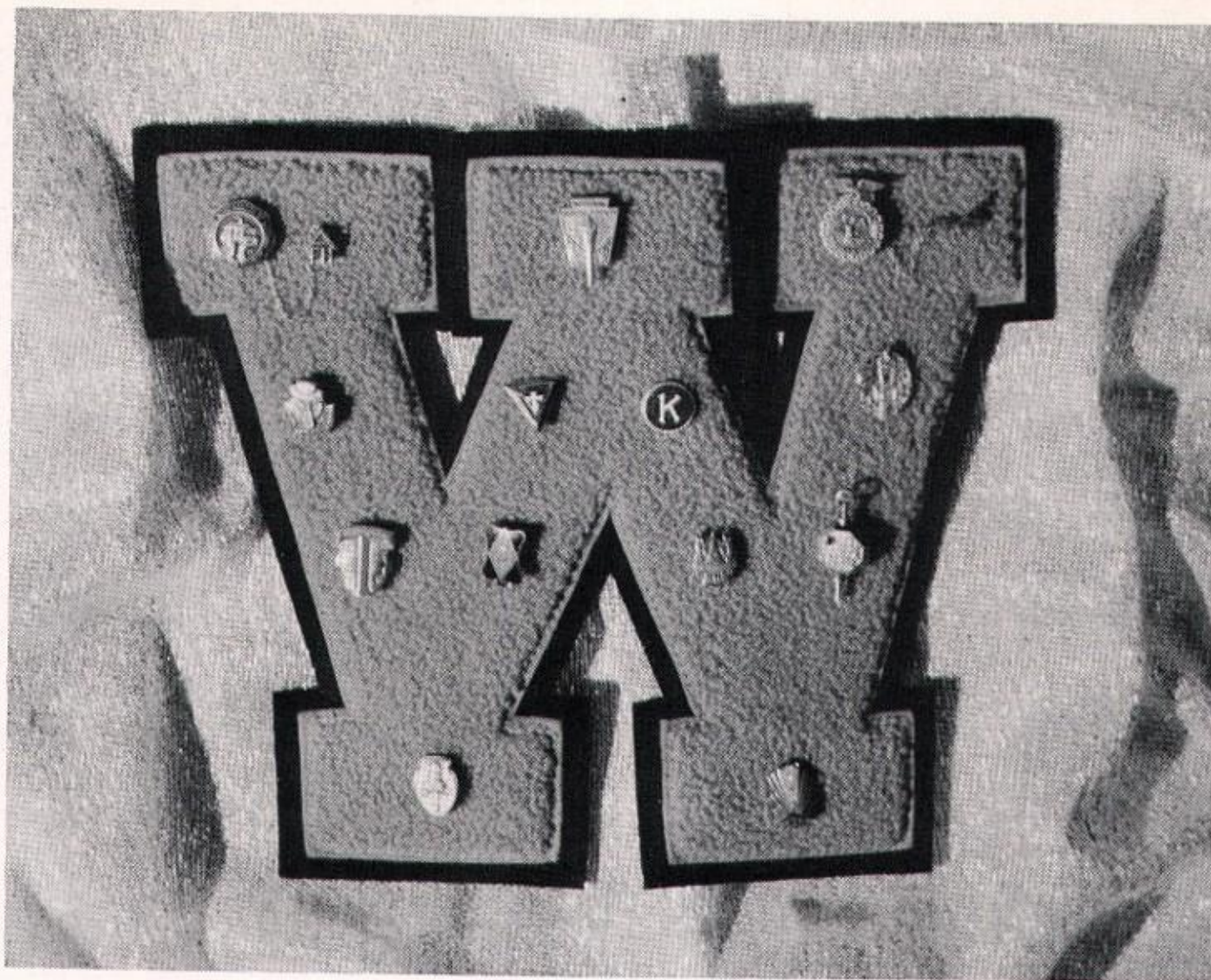


One unit of **American History** is a requirement for graduation from Willis High School. Under the direction of Mr. Creasy, the class studied the political, social, and economic development of our country. The students used *Time* magazine to learn of current American policies. Mr. Creasy, one of Delaware's city councilmen, also provided the students with facts concerning the growth of our own town.



Problems of Democracy is a required course for all senior students. Its purpose is to inform the student of the various political, social, and moral questions which confront our American way of life.

Under the supervision of Mr. Moist, the class studied problems concerning government, labor, farming, mental health, crime, alcohol, education, and race. The students were provided with films, lectures, trips, and panel discussions concerning these problems.



ACTIVITIES





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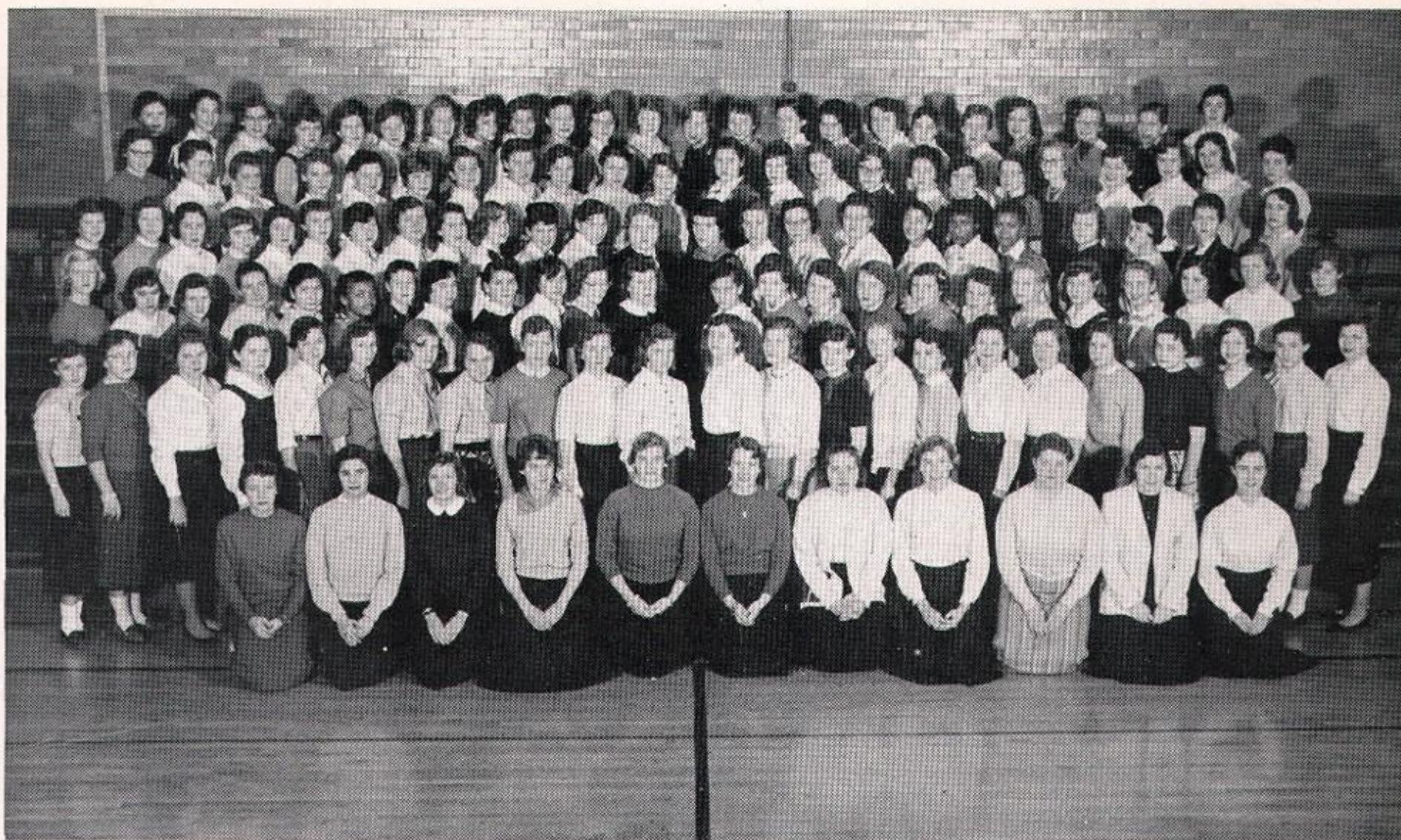
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W-TEENS

Under the able leadership of Lynn Harris, president; Janet Allen, vice-president; Nancy Slagle, secretary, and Susan Pope, treasurer, the W-Teens had a very successful year. At the beginning of the year all girls were encouraged to sign up for at least one of the various committees; these included the executive, social, sports, poster, program, and bulletin board committees. The W-Teen bulletin board, under the supervision of Ann Johnson, was one of the most popular and original services to the school. The Pep Club, under the direction of Beth Perfect and Sandy Elder, was a fine addition to the school spirit at the football games.

The "Big and Little Sister" program, headed by Linda Carlisle, proved to be a success after being discontinued for a couple of years. The idea of the program was to help the seventh grade girls adjust to the new school life and to know some of the older girls. The club's other service projects included babysitting on Election Day, distribution of Thanksgiving food baskets to the poor, and adoption of a family. With the help of the Hi-Y Key Club, W-Teens also collected gifts for the state hospital.

The high point of the social year was the fall formal, "Silver Bells," held on December 7. Another big dance was the semi-formal held in the spring. The "poor man's dance" required a can of food for admission. The dances were under supervision of Judy Crowl, social chairman.



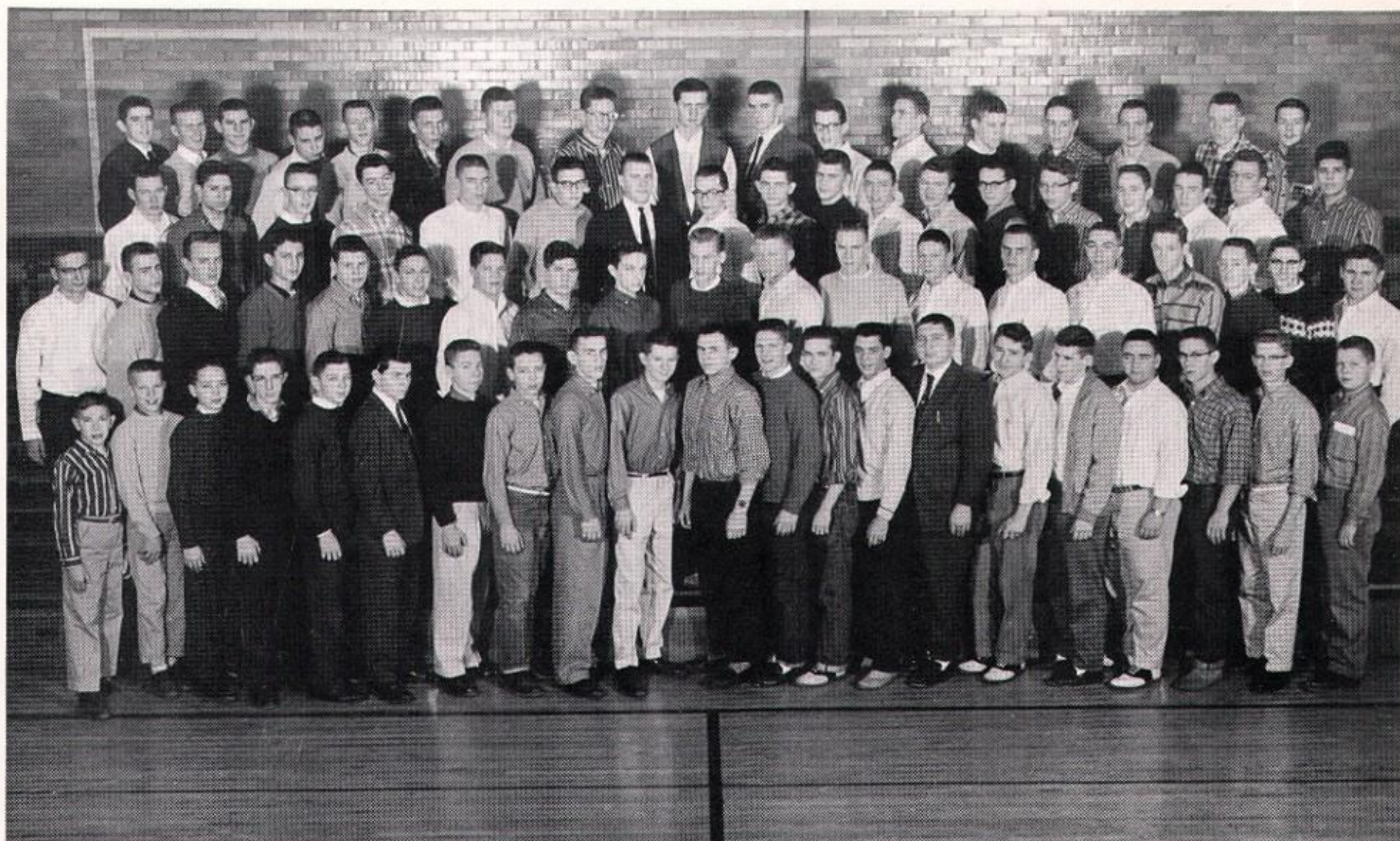
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 Second row: S. Murphy, M. Plogher, P. Mercer, G. Miller, P. Rupe, M. Mundy, F. Jones, B. Wells, C. Mullins, S. Martin, T. King, T. Vipperman, C. Pinney, B. Payne, P. Maxey, A. Toney, M. Teele, D. Ramey, M. Jordan, M. Skatzes, K. Thornbury, N. Jackson, M. Stanley
 Third row: S. Yoder, M. Pickens, S. Mead, E. Starkey, G. Wanzo, C. Morgan, E. Welsh, B. Swam, H. Snider, R. Jervis, C. Stiles, C. Main, S. Piper, S. Organ, N. VanBuskirk, R. Rardon, B. Yant, D. Winship, R. Ramsey, S. Kellar, P. Rayburn, D. Salsbury, A. Skatzes
 Fourth row: L. Schaffner, P. Welch, M. Smith, P. Myers, J. Shirling, M. Maxwell, A. Moore, E. Stull, C. Owen, B. Ross, V. Roberts, R. Levings, B. Murphy, A. Polites, J. Ramey, N. Osborne, M. Young, B. Simpson, L. Shelton, B. Payne, B. Murfield, C. Welch, M. Spencer, K. Oller
 Fifth row: J. Marburger, J. Little, S. Patrick, S. Stearns, N. Pool, L. Lawson, D. Stewart, L. Ward, D. Ward, N. Price, P. Smith, M. Kintz, D. Robinson, S. Williams, V. Robinson, B. McNamee, M. Poole, B. Lobdell, B. Lawson, T. Sell, P. Oman, J. Workman, J. Knight
 Sixth row: J. Long, N. Moses, L. Kroninger, D. Thompson, R. Kebker, A. Jeisel, K. McElfresh, K. Jones, P. Piper, D. Whetsel, L. Turney, J. Moore, S. Ross, M. Reed, S. Matthews, L. Owen, N. Schunck, P. Williams, M. Sheets, B. Ziegler, S. Scott, M. Wareham, J. Reed

Under the supervision of Beth Perfect, sports chairman, volleyball, basketball, bowling, and baseball were played after school. Following last year's example, an interclass basketball team was formed. This year's team consisted of three freshmen, three sophomores, four juniors, and five senior girls. They were host to the Girls Industrial School and after the game a buffet style dinner was held for team members and their sponsors.

One of the outstanding events of the club was the W-Teen play night when the girls got together for dinner and an evening of either volleyball or basketball. The girls provided the various courses of the meal, and spent the rest of the evening playing either volleyball or basketball.

The programs this year were exceptionally well planned, educational, and interesting. They included a program of creative dancing, a talent show, slides of the Rose Bowl parade and Disneyland, initiation of new members, and installation of next year's officers. These programs were in charge of Lynda Bayliff, program chairman.

This year's faculty advisors were Miss Wells, Mrs. Barger, Miss Burrer, and Miss Harter.



Front row: J. Plogher, T. Ackley, S. O'Keefe, J. Mitchell, B. Rapp, D. Wardle, D. O'Keefe, J. Bachelor, T. Longwell, B. Bollinger, K. Bensley, T. Pope, T. Winship, J. Brown, T. Fox, S. George, B. Gallant, J. Raile, J. Jones, E. Butt, R. Downing
 Second row: D. Landsittel, E. Black, G. Bauman, B. Roberts, G. McDonald, J. Rapp, T. Pope, F. Saltmarsh, B. Wilson, J. Cross, B. Denton, D. Hopkins, B. Lowry, D. Shaw, J. Ditslear, L. Newhouse, M. Thatcher, B. Jaccaud, H. Wyss
 Third row: J. Donovan, J. Robinson, B. Strimer, R. Clark, S. Lowe, J. Holmes, J. Hilborn, B. Mackley, E. Bills, D. Burns, J. Lowry, A. Shackelford, J. Downie, J. Wickham, M. Dorsey, D. Lee, M. Patrick, R. Morrison
 Fourth row: K. Hall, C. Smith, B. Ufferman, H. Flemming, G. Buckingham, K. Terry, G. Downing, B. Montgomery, J. Arnold, L. Hall, D. Baird, S. Buzard, T. Cowan, A. Boecklin, T. Heineman, T. Driggs, S. Coover

HI-Y AND KEY CLUB

The Hi-Y Key Club completed its seventh year as a combined organization under the leadership of seniors Hal Wyss, Key Club President, and Bruce Burns, President of Hi-Y. Burns also served as Lieutenant Governor for this district of Key Club.

Other officers included juniors Tom Rybolt, Vice-President of Key Club and Jim Hilborn, Hi-Y Vice-President. John Ditslear, a sophomore, was Secretary and Arnold Boecklin, also in his second year, served as Treasurer.

Service projects carried on throughout the year included assistance to the bloodbank, a special clean-up campaign for the Red Cross which netted more than seven hundred and fifty dollars, a trip to the Delaware Fair for patients at the Magnetic Springs Polio Foundation, and a variety of others.



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HI-Y AND KEY CLUB

To overcome an early year financial crisis the club carried on a series of fund-raising projects. The most elaborate of these was the sale of Aerosol shoe polish. The club also sponsored several dances and worked with the Circle K Club in selling refreshments at Ohio Wesleyan University social functions.

Most of the business of the club was handled by committees. This left time in the club meetings for a program. Don Shaw, chairman of the program committee, presented a number of interesting speakers.

Other committees were the project committees under Alan Hackel, the social committee headed by Dave Landsittel, vocational guidance led by Bob Gallant, interclub committee under Larry Hopper, and sergeant at arms headed by Terry Heineman. In addition, a house committee consisting entirely of freshmen was set up to put the library in order before and after meetings.



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 Second row: H. Wyss, D. Shaw, J. Seidl, C. Blair, L. Bayliff, F. Matanzo, D. Landsittel, B. Jaccaud

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Character, Scholarship, Leadership, and Service are the four qualities which are taken into consideration in selecting members of the National Honor Society. Sixteen Willis seniors were taken into the society this year when the twenty-fourth annual initiation was held on April 16 in the auditorium.

Mr. Graham gave the welcoming address, speaking briefly on the history of the organization. Miss Whitted then read the names and qualifications of the prospective members, sixteen in number.

The students then went to the stage, where the initiation ceremony took place. Five Willis alumni; Frances Alter, Judy Jones, Nancy Wickham, Jerry Allen, and Robert Maxwell took part in initiating the new members. Mr. James Blair then gave a speech to the assembly, containing the truth that "you are what you resolve to be."

After the assembly, the new initiates were honored by the teachers at a banquet in the Colonial Room at Bun's Restaurant. Robert Maxwell gave a short after-dinner address telling the students that they must accept the responsibility of this award as well as the honor.

The present policy for the election of members, adopted in 1952, calls for a ranking of eligible students in each of the four qualities on which the selection is based. These rankings are averaged together and a single class ranking is obtained. Pupils must be in the upper third of their class scholastically to be eligible for Honor Society consideration.

The National Honor Society originated in 1921 through efforts of Edward Ryneerson, a graduate of Ohio Wesleyan University. Today there are more than 5,000 chapters in high schools throughout the country. It is sponsored by the National Association of Secondary School Principals.



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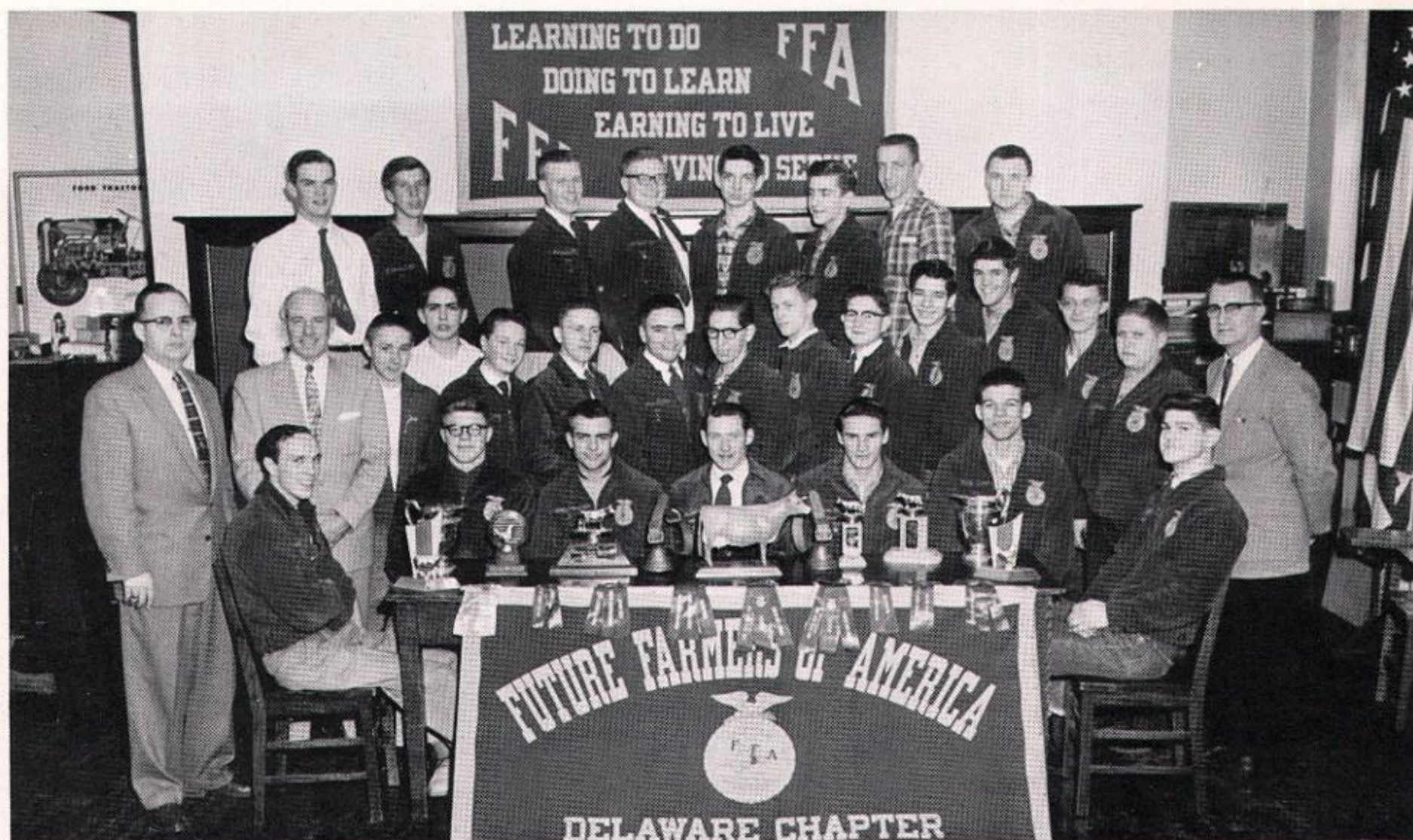
FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA

The Future Teachers of America, under the leadership of Carolyn Blair, president; Sandy Elder, vice-president; Sue Hasty, secretary; Bob Jaccaud, treasurer, and Melinda Skatz, had some unusual and interesting programs and carried on several worthwhile projects during the year.

At the first meeting, the club heard three new Willis teachers, Mr. Yonders, Mr. Barger and Mrs. Orland. They told of their first impressions of Willis, and of the opinions they had formed about the school. During the year, members heard from Mr. Charles Thompson, music professor at Ohio Wesleyan; Mr. Meabon, Willis guidance counselor; Miss Bussard, French teacher at Willis; and Mr. Moist, the F. T. A. advisor. One of the most interesting speakers was Mr. Edward Martin who is the principal of Girls' Industrial School.

Initiation of new members was held at the second meeting. At this time sixty students from all four classes were received into the club. The advisor, officers, and a representative from each class took active part in the candlelight ceremony.

During the first semester, nine junior and senior girls took over classes at Carlisle Elementary School for the last half hour every Thursday. This program allowed the regular teachers to attend a special class and it gave the girls an opportunity to gain experience in working with younger children. Also, many members substituted for Willis teachers when the need arose. Both these activities helped fulfill the main objectives of F. T. A. which is to help students acquaint themselves with the teaching profession.



Front row: P. Breece, J. Fouts, E. Black, J. Donovan, J. Harter, M. Shenefield, G. King
 Second row: Mr. Beougher, Mr. Hopkins, R. George, A. Deel G. Gray, L. Nutter, J. Raile, K. Deel, D. White, C. Horn, P. Ramsey, G. Schultz, L. Nauman, F. Oehler, Mr. Graham
 Third row: D. Segner, H. Deel, C. Smith, C. Bachelor, E. Freeman, D. Schultz, K. Terry, R. Holt

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

No other national student organization enjoys greater freedom of self-governing under adult guidance than the Future Farmers of America. The Delaware chapter was organized in the fall of 1937, nine years after the national chapter was founded. The officers for this year were Jerome Donovan, president; Ed Black, vice president; Jim Harter, secretary; Gene King, treasurer; Myron Shenefield, reporter; Paul Breece, sentinel, and Jon Fouts, student advisor. The club was counseled by Mr. Beougher.

This has been a very active year for the Delaware chapter. President Jerome Donovan received a number of awards, including junior division Grand Champion Brown Swiss at the Ohio State Fair and Grand Champion and reserve Grand Champion Brown Swiss in both junior and senior divisions at the Delaware County Fair. Other winners at the fair were Steve Schultz for champion steer and David White for champion ewe. Donovan also was chosen as the most outstanding boy in F. F. A. in Delaware County for 1957.

The group sent Donovan and Ed Black to the state F. F. A. convention, and for the twelfth year the Delaware chapter was represented at the national convention in Kansas City. This year the club won a gold medal in the parliamentary procedure contest, an award which it also holds on the national level.

To raise money, the F. F. A. members sold screwdriver sets and conducted their annual scrapdrive. The money raised was used to finance the annual parent-son banquet, held on March 13.

In April, club awards were made to Jerome Donovan, star farmer; Gene Gray, public speaking; Charles Smith, dairy farmer; Ed Black and Myron Shenefield, mechanics; Jim Harter, soil and water management; Kilby Deel and Clyde Bachelor, safety, and Jon Fouts, farm electrification.



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 Third row: D. Byus, A. Barker, S. Wilson, S. Crank, J. Deaver, B. Payne, D. Organ, T. Dunham, H. Snider, C. Morgan, C. Mullins, P. Welch, M. Poole, C. Glaze, M. Sheets, L. Hill, B. Payne, L. Shelton, B. Simpson

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

The FHA activities began in the summer of 1957, when the group met to plan for the school year. In September, the new girls in home economics were welcomed with a Get Acquainted Tea. The next project was the Delaware County Fair, where the club's booth won an "A" grade and the members received above average ratings. In November, the chapter invited other county groups to a meeting entitled "Around the World in 80 Minutes." During December, the girls provided gifts for the residents of the Delaware County Home.

The main event of the year was the Queen of Hearts Dance. The theme was Valentine's Day and Carol Sue Gabriel reigned over the evening's festivities. In May, the Mother-Daughter Banquet was held. Then came the installation of new officers and the Senior Pizza party, a farewell party which began a new year of planning for the new officers.

Front row: T. Skatzes, D. Ward, T. Crist, S. Hall, Mrs. Hulbert, C. Gabriel, D. Wirick, G. Ingle, J. Hughes, M. Dixon
 Second row: J. Jones, E. Coakley, S. Fogle, S. Piper, L. Burrer, M. Bennett, S. Fleshman, E. Bennett, H. Robinson, M. Kintz, J. Slane, D. Thompson, S. Meade
 Third row: W. Brokaw, L. Kroninger, D. Wilson, J. Bishop, M. Dunnigan, A. Hawkins, C. Davis, J. Long, B. Henry, J. Workman, S. Hagaman





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NATIONAL FORENSIC LEAGUE

The Willis chapter of the National Forensic League, an honorary inter-scholastic speaking organization, enjoyed its best year on record. After enjoying much success in interschool practice speech tournaments on several winter weekends, a record number of pupils qualified for the finals in the Ohio High School Speech League. Lynda Bayliff, Carolyn Blair, Hal Wyss, and David Landsittel, became the first debate squad ever to qualify for finals from Willis. They placed fifth out of 22 schools in this top level state-wide competition. Other Willis qualifiers in the individual events field included Gwen Opel, original oratory; Judy Strimer, dramatic declamation; Alan Hackel, boy's extemporaneous speaking; Jerry Holmes, oratoric declamation, and Sandra Bayliff, humorous declamation.

President of this year's organization was David Landsittel, while Gwen Opel served as secretary. Mrs. Earl Evans was faculty advisor, assisted by Ken Creasy.

BEGINNING

SPEAKERS

VARSITY

Front row: D. Griffiths, S. Martin, S. O'Keefe, B. Elder, K. Hirning

Second row: Mrs. Evans, N. Swam, J. Oberlander, S. Meade, J. Finch, M. Spencer, Mr. Creasy

Third row: C. Deyo, B. Ingraham, L. Steele, P. Piper, D. Whetsel, M. Shenefield, B. Strimer, J. Eishen, L. Marlowe, A. Flemming

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Second row: N. Slagle, A. Johnson, L. Turney, N. Osborne, P. Fidler, M. Bigony, K. McElfresh, S. Ross, L. Schaffner, G. Opel, R. Kebker

Third row: C. Hahn, H. Wyss, D. Landsittel, B. Roberts, J. Holmes, J. Cox, A. Hackel, J. Greene





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THESPIANS

Troupe 420 of the National Thespian Society completed another year of varied activities under the leadership of their sponsor, Mrs. N. S. Hearn. These activities began with the presentation of a portion of Shakespeare's *Midsummer Night's Dream* at the Ohio Speech Association Conference in Columbus. The Thespians also helped with the operetta, *H. M. S. Pinafore*. To bring the year to a successful close, the group presented a children's play, *Little Red Riding Hood*, to both the high school and grade school students. Officers for this year were Lynda Bayliff, president; Alan Hackel, vice-president; Beth Perfect, secretary, and Janet Allen, treasurer.

BOOTH AND STAGE CREWS

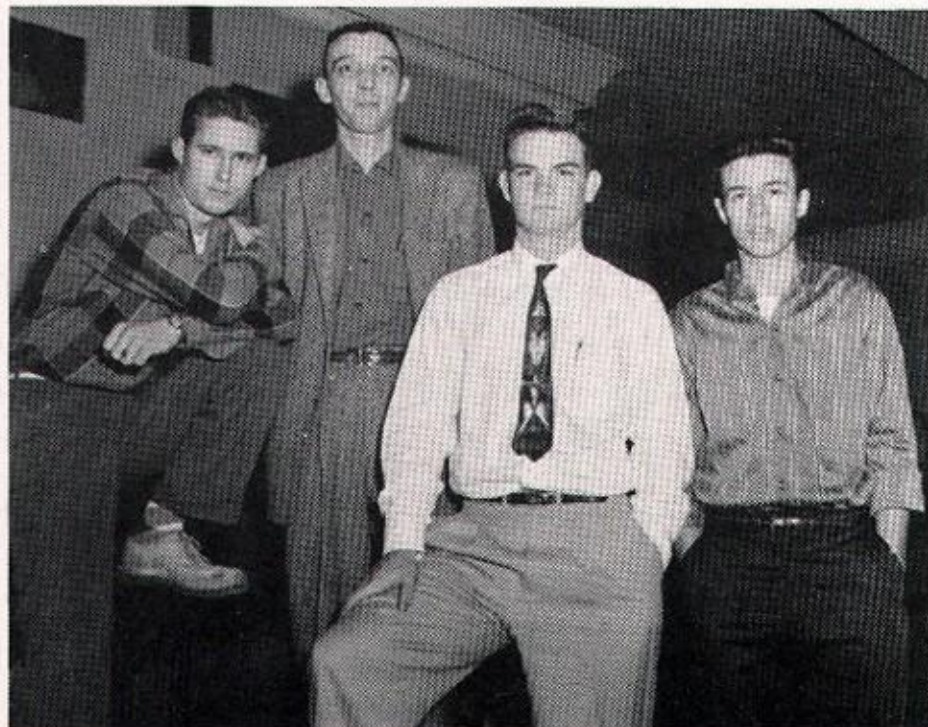
The Booth and Stage Crew members are some of the most important behind-the-scenes students at Willis. Any senior high boy may start as an apprentice, and when he has put in sixty hours of work, he is considered a stage crew member.

The duty of the stage crew is to keep the stage repaired and ready for any activity or performance. The booth crew is responsible for school movies and the spotlight during special activities.

This year the stage crew acquired new high fidelity amplifiers and a portable public address system. Don Baird acted as stage manager and Mr. Slasor was the faculty advisor.

D. Morris, Mr. Slasor, D. Segner, J. Liggett

B. Benton, D. Baird, J. Eishen





FULL CHORUS AND CAST AT FINALE

"H. M. S. PINAFORE"

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Sir Joseph Porter	Alan Hackel
Captain Corcoran	David Mooney
Ralph Rackstraw	Bruce Burns
Dick Deadeye	Robert Mackley
Boatswain's Mate	Robert Lowry
Carpenter's Mate	Larry Hopper
Josephine	Julia Strimer
Cousin Hebe	Lynda Bayliff
Little Buttercup	Harriet Hearn
Chorus	Senior High Choir, Selected members of Senior High Chorus and Girls' Glee Club
Directors	Miss Plum and Mrs. Hearn
Accompanists	Jeanne Felts and Janet Allen



Seated: J. Felts, D. Mooney, L. Bayliff, H. Hearn, J. Strimer, A. Hackel, J. Allen
Standing: B. Perfect, L. Bobula, B. Lowry, B. Mackley, B. Burns, L. Carlisle, G. Opel



GIRLS' CHORUS AND PRINCIPALS



BOYS' CHORUS AND PRINCIPALS



COMBINED CHORUSES AND PRINCIPALS



Front row: S. George, E. Black, D. Landsittel
 Second row: J. Gruber, P. Glaze, K. Hardin, S. Gatton, A. Heinlin, B. Burns, L. Carlisle, J. Seidl, N. Slagle, A. Hackel, B. Gallant, H. Flemming, H. Wyss, D. Shaw
 Third row: J. Allen, K. Thornbury, C. Blair, Miss Benson, J. Strimer, J. Felts, L. Bayliff
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DELHI STAFF

We members of the 1958 Delhi Staff extend our deepest thanks to Miss Benson, Cubberly Studios, Gateway Publishing Company, Gray Printing Company, our advertisers and patrons, and the faculty and students of Willis High School. Our journey along Panther Pathways would have been impossible without the help we received from these people. Willy, the mascot for our school and our yearbook, has long been a symbol for the Panther spirit of Willis High, so we chose him for our leader this year.

This is the executive staff of the 1958 Delhi: C. Blair, assistant editor; K. Thornbury, business; J. Strimer, editor; L. Bayliff, seniors and faculty; J. Allen, identification; J. Felts, circulation, and — WILLY





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GAZETTE EDITORIAL BOARD

The 1957-58 editorial board of the Delaware Gazette's "High School Page" was composed of students from Miss Dorothy Whitted and Mrs. H. C. Reed's Senior English class. Led by co-editors Mary Judy Teele and David Landsittel, the group assigned and edited the articles written by the Senior English class. This work gives the students an opportunity to practice what they have learned about journalism.

In March, Mrs. Jack Barger's junior English class began working on the "High School Page" in preparation for next year. Both juniors and seniors were advised by Mrs. Reed.

QUILL AND SCROLL

The Quill and Scroll Club, a national journalism honorary, were reactivated at Willis High School last spring. Seniors David Landsittel and Hal Wyss were the only members in the club this year. Qualifications for election to the club are based upon work done for the Gazette High School Page and assistance given to the Delhi activities. Wyss and Landsittel have been active throughout their high school careers as members of these journalistic organizations.

The boys were greatly assisted with their club activities by Miss Olatha Benson, Quill and Scroll advisor.

H. Wyss, Miss Benson, D. Landsittel





C. Blair, L. Bayliff, L. Carlisle, L. Longwell, J. Seidl, B. Perfect, N. Slagle, M. Hilborn, M. Vance, S. Hasty

W-GIRLS



Carolyn Blair demonstrates the volleyball service

Nancy Slagle prepares to deliver an overhand smash

This organization is an honorary division of the W-Teen sports program. To be eligible for a "W," a girl must have participated in at least three sports for three years. The sports committee then judges the candidates upon the qualities of sportsmanship they possess. The new W-Girls received their letters at the first play night in November and also in the spring. The four major sports are pictured here.

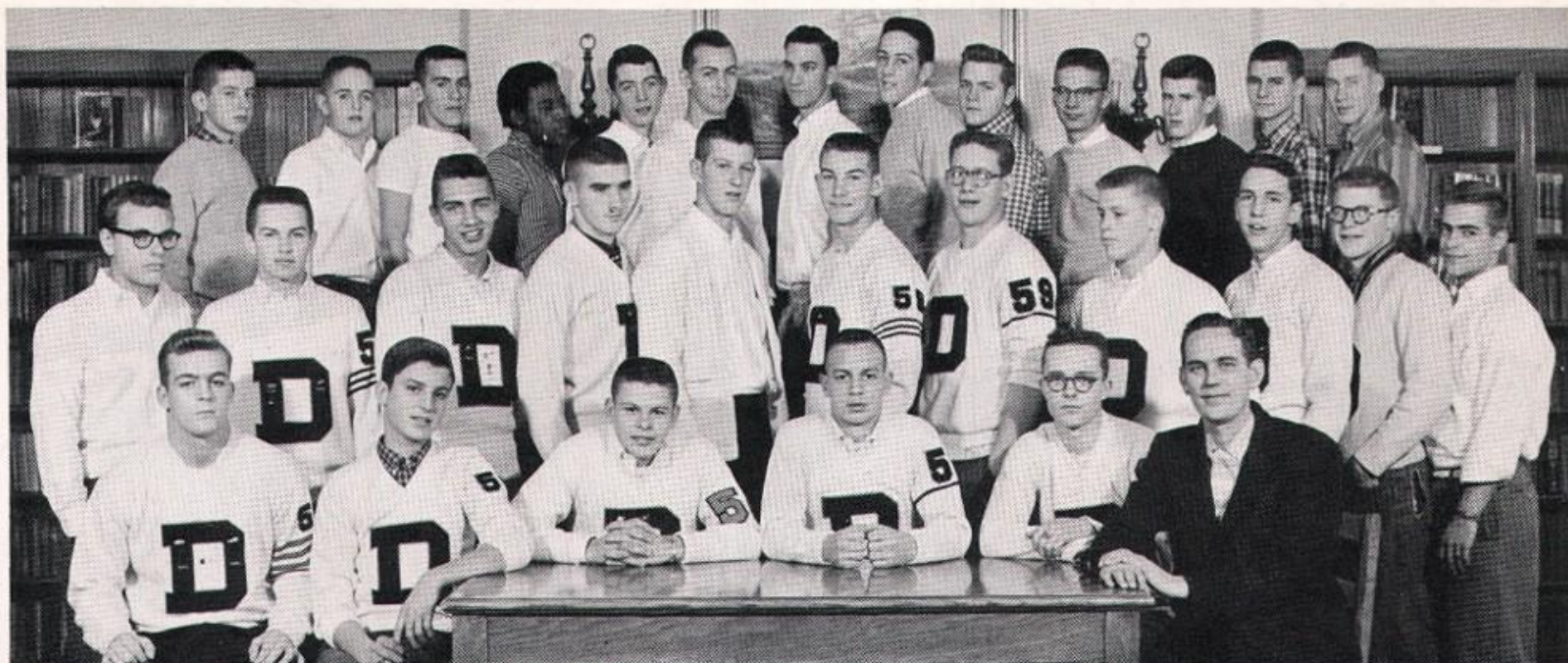


Judy Seidl is about to sink a basket

Linda Carlisle appears to be aiming for a strike

SPORTS COMMITTEE





Front row: M. Patrick, B. Roberts, G. McDonald, T. Heineman, J. Gongwer, Mr. Coyle
 Second row: G. Miller, B. Burns, G. Morris, L. Hall, T. Rybolt, T. Masters, B. Montgomery, T. Cowan, L. Hopper, J. Fouts, E. Black
 Third row: T. Gallant, M. Dorsey, T. Longwell, D. Hill, R. Clark, F. Matanzo, L. Williams, A. Boecklin, J. Shaw, D. Landsittel, B. Gallant, B. Ufferman, J. Donovan

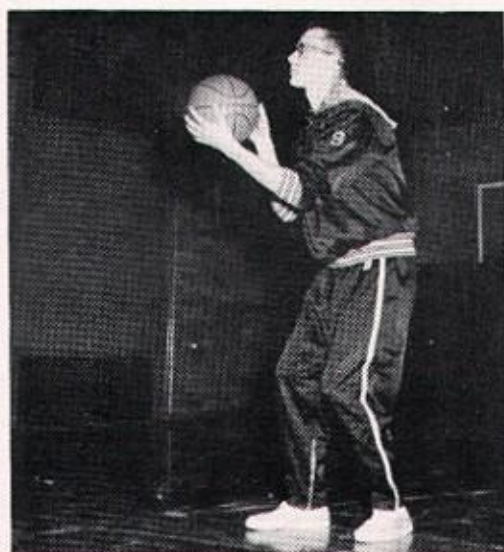
D-CLAN

The Willis High School D-Clan is an organization made up of Willis athletes who have won a varsity "D" during high school in one or more of the schools six interscholastic sports. These include football, basketball, baseball, track, tennis, and golf.

Projects included selling programs and popcorn, and sponsoring an April Dance. The highlights of the year came in May when the D-Clan held its annual All-Sports Banquet in the Willis gymnasium.

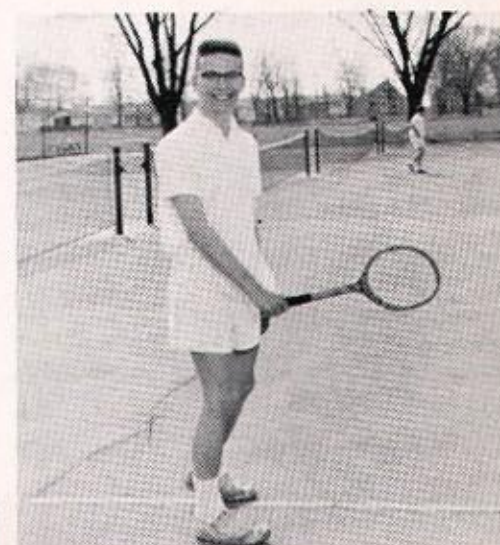
Officers this year were Terry Heineman, president; Larry Gongwer, vice-president; Garry McDonald, secretary-treasurer. Mr. Richard Coyle was faculty supervisor for the organization.

FOOTBALL



Larry Gongwer is shown practicing an overhead basketball shot

Bob Gallant is playing baseball, one of Willis' spring sports



Dorrance Hill is pictured putting the shot, one of the many track and field events

Dave Landsittel gets ready to smash a backhand stroke in tennis



Front row: S. Matthews, J. Barris, K. Hardin, H. Hearn, D. Landsittel, D. Shaw, D. Cross, E. Kern, M. Cranor, J. Long
 Second row: L. Bayliff, M. Teele, M. Greene, D. Ramey, B. Shearman, Miss Plum, B. Lowry, J. Hudson, J. Strimer, J. Felts, C. Blair
 Third row: J. Allen, M. Householder, S. Martin, R. Hackel, S. Donovan, B. Ross, J. Barringer, K. Baird, D. Stewart, C. Owen, J. Shirling, A. Moore, J. Crowl, M. Smith, S. Kellar, C. Fisher, J. Finch
 Fourth row: J. Donovan, J. Ramey, N. Byerly, L. Schaffner, S. Pope, C. Deyo, M. Young, S. Clark, M. Blair, M. Scott, S. Parks, E. Stull, L. Fitzgerald, P. Hagaman, J. Berry, L. Brackney, S. Flowers, H. Wyss, L. Longwell

MAJOR MINOR

The Major-Minor Music Club had a successful year in 1957-1958. The membership increased greatly, mostly due to the twenty-six freshmen who were admitted to the club. In the spring the club performed at the polio foundation at Magnetic Springs and also put on their own music program in a school assembly. In May, the members traveled to Columbus, Ohio, to take in the musical "Guys and Dolls."

The program of the club was planned by the officers. The officers were: Bob Lowry, president; Betsy Shearman, vice-president; Judy Hudson, secretary, and Datha Ramey, treasurer. Miss Plum was the advisor for Major-Minor.

POPULAR MUSIC

The Popular Music Club was created to give more Willis students a chance to enjoy the different phases of the musical field. During club meetings, the members participated in singing patriotic songs, show tunes, popular music, spirituals, and folk songs. These were performed by individuals as well as by the entire group. Miss Plum was the faculty advisor.



Front row: C. Mullins, M. Dixon, H. Snyder, G. Wanzo

Second row: S. Wilson, P. Welch, S. Fogle, Miss Plum, A. Heinlen, J. Flournoy, B. Simpson

Third row: C. Morgan, B. Payne, E. Price, P. Simpson, G. Flournoy, D. Wilson, L. Shelton



Front row: D. Rucker, W. Watson, T. Ackley, B. Benton, G. Berry, B. Giles, R. Hackel, J. Barringer, C. Pinney, P. Householder, K. Baird, J. Holmes, C. Owen
 Second row: C. Ellis, P. Oman, J. Robinson, B. Ross, M. Maxwell, M. Blair, Mrs. Evans, A. Flemming, S. Flowers, S. Scott, B. Strimer, B. Wilson, S. Donovan
 Third row: L. Lawson, L. Amick, B. Ingraham, H. Hanrahan, K. Brown, J. Eishen, T. Pope, J. Rapp, T. Campbell, E. Butts, F. Saltmarsh, G. Phillips, L. Marlowe, N. Poole, V. DeVries, M. Carson, E. Stull
 Fourth row: K. Jones, S. Kiernan, S. Stearns, M. Keller, A. Moore, S. Parks, S. Dorsey, V. Brown, S. Saulsbury, J. Berry, S. Anderson, M. Wareham, L. Brackney, R. Nutt, D. Jackson, F. Flanagan, D. Bertram, L. Newhouse

LATIN CLUBS

This year there were three Latin I clubs and two Latin II. In Latin I, the presidents were S. Flowers, A. Flemming, and M. Blair, acting for D. Hopkins; vice presidents, J. Scott, B. Wilson, B. Strimer; secretaries, B. Ross, J. Robinson, M. Maxwell; treasurers, S. Donovan, C. Ellis, P. Oman.

In Latin II, the presidents were D. Griffiths, T. Cowan; vice presidents, K. McElfresh, D. Wardle; secretaries, J. Burkhart, J. Case; treasurers, J. Marburger and T. Longwell.

The Latin banquet, held in April, was called "Feast of the Boundaries;" the movie presented was *Quo Vadis*. Another important activity was the State Junior Classical League Convention held on April 11 in Mershon Auditorium. Sixty Latin club members attended, and the students supervised the Model Latin Club Workshop. A few J. C. L'ers may attend the National Convention at the University of Michigan this summer. The clubs are advised by Mrs. Evans.



Front row: D. Wardle, A. Toney, T. King, M. Jordan, E. Starkey, N. Moses, T. Gallant

Second row: J. Marburger, J. Burkhart, K. McElfresh, D. Griffiths, T. Cowan, A. Boecklin, J. Case, T. Longwell

Third row: Mrs. Evans, B. Bollinger, B. Elder, V. Roberts, B. Rapp, T. Sell, D. Keller, R. Kebker, C. Hahn, B. Fillinger, S. Betts

Fourth row: D. Bonner, C. Cordial, D. Lowry, J. Young, R. Clark, J. Ditslear, T. Pope, E. Bills, D. Hursey, J. Cox

Fifth row: N. Schunck, M. Thatcher, J. Little, M. Dorsey, K. Jones, A. Campbell, D. Whetsel, P. Piper, L. Turney, M. Bigony, P. Hagaman, P. Fidler, L. Fitzgerald



FRENCH I

Front row: C. Lowry, L. Bobula, G. Bauman, P. Rayburn

Second row: B. Barton, C. Ellis, Miss Bussard, J. Arnold, L. Axline

Third row: J. Cain, S. Martin, N. Hough, S. Geesman, D. Stewart, S. Arnold, S. Keller, J. Shirling, J. Myers, C. Deyo, K. Oller, D. Welsh, S. Matthews

Fourth row: J. Green, G. Miller, D. Salisbury, D. Hunt, K. Hall, T. Flemming, B. Montgomery, J. Downie, J. Reed, H. Hearn, S. Gatton, S. Borland, J. Barris

FRENCH CLUBS

The French Clubs are made up of the pupils in French I and French II classes. Learning more about the life, customs, and language of the French are the aims of the clubs. The biggest project for these organizations was the Mardi Gras, held in the gymnasium on April 18. It was a miniature of the New Orleans festival, and was called "Fairy Tales and Fantasy Land."

In the club meetings, the members took imaginary trips to France through the use of slides and movies. The students celebrated many French holidays and practiced various French customs.

This year's officers in French II were Ann Johnson, president; Gwen Opel, vice-president; Pat Glaze, secretary-treasurer, and Melinda Skatz, social chairman.

In French I there were two clubs. The period III officers were Jack Arnold, president; Lois Axline, vice-president; Phyliss Rayburn, secretary-treasurer, and Gene Bauman, social chairman. Period IV officers were Charlene Ellis, president; Beverly Barton, vice-president; Carolyn Lowry, secretary-treasurer, and Lynne Bobula, social chairman. Miss Bussard advised both clubs.

FRENCH II

Front row: T. Masters, J. Crawford, A. Hackel, L. Hopper, D. Mooney, B. Jaccaud, H. Flemming

Second row: C. Hair, N. Osborne, A. Johnson, B. Roberts, Miss Bussard, B. Burns, G. Opel, M. Greene

Third row: N. Harris, M. Spencer, J. DeWalt, J. Crowl, R. Bucklew, M. Skatz, L. Longwell, L. Carlisle, B. Perfect, J. Allen, M. Sheets, M. Hilborn

Fourth row: S. Ross, M. Reed, S. Hagaman, M. Evans, A. Heinlen, P. Glaze, J. Long, M. Cranor





SPANISH I

Front row: K. Sanderson, J. Welch, G. Buckingham, T. Burns

Second row: M. Reed, D. Winship, Miss Bussard, P. Arthur, S. Clark

Third row: B. Russell, L. Barrett, D. Patrick, J. Oberlander, C. Main, P. Myers, B. Yant, S. Brimhall, R. Ebright, N. Jackson

Fourth row: S. Dorsey, H. Hatte, V. Vining, C. Townsel, D. Daurer, N. Firestone, R. Ross, C. Frederick, A. Skatz, K. Burdette, K. Hardin

SPANISH CLUBS

The two Spanish clubs, under the guidance of Miss Bussard, had a successful and interesting year.

The Spanish II Club was named "Los Espanoles Futuros" and adopted "Que sera, sera" as its motto. Officers of the club were Robert Jaccaud, president; Mary Hilborn, vice president; Norma Osborn, secretary-treasurer, and Nancy Slagle, social chairman.

Spanish I members chose "Los Amigos Espanoles" as the name for their club. The officers were Patsy Arthur, president; Darlene Winship, vice-president; Susan Clark, secretary-treasurer, and Marcia Reed, social chairman.

Each of the clubs held a Kings' Day Party and two groups combined with the French Clubs to present the Mardi Gras on April 18.

SPANISH II

Front row: W. Ebright, M. Evans, D. Robinson, L. Longwell, B. Shearman, L. Barrett

Second row: N. Osborn, B. Jaccaud, Miss Bussard, M. Hilborn, N. Slagle

Third row: D. Ramey, M. Smith, M. Skatz, C. Crumb, R. Rardon, P. Rupe, J. Oberlander, L. Harris, S. Elder, C. Hagar, M. Sheets, S. Pope, M. Young, B. Simpson

Fourth row: G. Miller, B. Waldie, L. Lowry, H. Banks, G. Tagg, G. Morris, P. Lazdins, D. Dickey, S. Buzard, H. Flemming, T. Mather, G. Matanzo, D. Boster





Front row: B. Rapp, S. Acker, S. Corwin, D. Bunten, P. Grant, J. Swope, L. Lewis, Mr. Bowman, K. Lavender, J. Wilson
 Second row: J. Plogher, J. Freeman, D. Evans, J. Jervis, R. Bunten, R. Downing, D. Matthews, H. Gale, J. Lumbard, M. Shuster, S. Buzard, T. Driggs, K. Welch, L. Williams, W. Smith, C. Fogle, D. Davenport, J. Cummins, J. Hayes, B. Brown, T. Winship
 Third row: W. Sampson, F. Caldwell, M. Dolan, H. Welch, K. McBride, D. Lee, B. Roberts, G. McDonald, M. Patrick, D. Dorsey, K. Terry, J. Johns, R. Simpson, L. Gongwer, G. Flournoy, D. Myers, C. Bachelor, L. Balch, G. Zimmerman, J. Zimmerman, E. Counts, D. Oberle

INDUSTRIAL ARTS

The Industrial Arts Club is an organization which gives its members a chance to further their interest in the various industrial skills. The projects carried out by the club included the making of desk sets, end tables, and cedar chests. This year, the club initiated a plan for a continual display of the projects at the Delaware County Bank.

The officers were Jim Swope, president; Paul Grant, vice-president; David Corwin, secretary, and Larry Lewis, treasurer. Mr. Bowman was the advisor.

SCIENCE CLUB

The Science Club, under the supervision of Mr. Slasor, was started at the beginning of the year to give the students an opportunity to further their scientific interests. Peter Lazdins, president; Sandra Bayliff, secretary, and David O'Keefe, treasurer, led the group to a very successful year.

With the money they raised, the students paid for the buses which took exhibitors and their projects to the Science Fairs.

The most exciting adventure undertaken by the group was a spring trip to the Museum of Science and Industry in Chicago. On this trip, the students also visited Greenfield Village, Michigan, the home of Henry Ford.

Front row: P. Lazdins, T. Fox, S. O'Keefe, D. O'Keefe, P. Clark, Mr. Slasor
 Second row: J. Downie, R. Morrison, J. Cross





Front row: K. Hirning, J. Ditslear, S. Hasty, Mr. Moist, T. Winship, B. Barton, M. Dorsey
Second row: S. Brimhall, R. George, B. Wilson, E. Kern, B. Carnes, J. Axline

RECREATION COMMITTEE

The Recreation Center located in old North School, was enjoyed by many in its twelfth year of existence. The "Rec" offers dancing, pool, ping pong, and refreshments.

The "Rec" is governed by a rec center committee. This year's committee was headed by Tom Winship with Sue Hasty serving as secretary. It is supervised by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore and Mr. Sherman P. Moist, faculty advisor.

The duties of the committee are to make the rules and regulations, purchase records and plan all special activities for the "Rec." This year a Halloween party and a Christmas celebration were enjoyed. Also, in the spring, the committee held a birthday party for the "Rec."

Up until the middle of this school year the "Rec" was open six nights a week, but, a new regulation made it necessary for the "Rec" to close all nights except Friday and Saturday.

YOUTH FOR CHRIST

The Youth For Christ Club is an organization which strives to promote Christian ideals among young people. The group believes in the saying "practice what you preach," so they provided a Thanksgiving basket for a needy family.

The officers this year were Lois Morgan, president; Alma Barker, vice-president, and Evelyn Bennett, secretary-treasurer. The club was assisted in its work by Mrs. Reed.

Front row: D. Organ, E. Bennett, S. Mead, A. Barker, S. Fleshman
Second row: M. Donegan, H. Roberts, B. Murfield





Front row: J. Felts, M. Teele, J. Finch, N. Byerly, J. Gruber, D. Boster, H. Wyss, J. Hilborn, D. Landsittel, K. Bolen, S. Kellar, M. Stanley, L. Harris, J. Ramey
 Second row: D. Ramey, C. Deyo, S. Matthews, L. Longwell, M. Greene, D. Mooney, G. Bauman, A. Hackel, B. Johnson, C. Crumb, C. Fisher, C. Ellis, Miss Plum
 Third row: M. Smith, J. Strimer, J. Barris, H. Hearn, B. Mackley, L. Hall, S. Lowe, M. Patrick, K. Hardin, M. Young, J. DeWalt, J. Allen, N. Slagle
 Fourth row: J. Crowl, J. Cain, J. Greene, M. Sheets, B. Shearman, B. Lowry, J. Arnold, D. Baird
 Fifth row: C. Blair, J. Reed, L. Bayliff, S. Pope, C. Glaze

SENIOR HIGH CHOIR

"Music is the universal language of mankind," wrote Longfellow, and the Senior High Choir was a fine instrument of this language. Under the direction of Miss Eliza Plum, four public appearances were made by the choir, each a rich experience for both choir members and the public. The group, ably accompanied by Jeanne Felts, first performed at the Thanksgiving assembly in November. Next came the annual Christmas Concert, which was held in the Willis High School auditorium. The choir presented **The Song of Christmas**, narrated by David Hopkins. "O Holy Night" was sung by the Senior High Choir, Senior High Chorus, Girls' Glee Club, and selected Junior High Choir members. Former choir members joined in the singing of "The Hallelujah Chorus" from **The Messiah** by Handel. A candlelight recessional and the singing of "Silent Night" climaxed the presentation.

The **H. M. S. Pinafore**, a spritely operetta from the pen of Gilbert and Sullivan, was given on March 27. The choir made its last appearance at Baccalaureate in June.

The Boys' Octette and Girls' Triple trio were chosen early in the year. The two groups combined to form the Choral Ensemble which sang at several school functions. The highlight of the year was the Christmas Concert, when the group presented "Twas the Night Before Christmas." The Choral Ensemble also entertained at the W-Teen Formal, Hi-Y Key Club Spring Formal, and the Junior-Senior.



Front row: P. Mercer, S. Martin, M. Hopkins, R. Kebker, V. DeVries, B. Carnes, E. Welsh, T. Sell, M. Spencer, S. Jeisel, N. Harris

Second row: Miss Plum, P. Fichtner, C. Hahn, P. Cain, B. Elder, L. Owen, S. Patrick, R. Truesdale, G. Smith, L. Fitzgerald

Third row: C. Disbennett, P. Hagaman, P. Piper, D. Cross, C. Cordial, M. Cranor, K. McElfresh, N. Moses, J. Burkhart

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

The Glee Club, in its third year at Willis, was very active this year. The girls, in addition to singing at the annual Christmas Concert, designed the decorations for the performance. Several members sang in the Willis production of the "H. M. S. Pinafore," and the club also joined with the other vocal groups to present a junior high assembly.

The club consists mainly of sophomores, and serves as a training ground for the Senior High Choir. Suzy Martin is the accompanist for the group and Miss Plum is the director.

SENIOR HIGH CHORUS

The Senior High Chorus gives freshmen and sophomores a chance to show their musical ability.

The chorus, directed by Miss Eliza Plum, made its debut at the annual Christmas Concert held at Willis. They presented three selections and joined the Senior High Choir for three finale numbers. Selected members of the chorus participated in the Willis production of the operetta, *H. M. S. Pinafore*, in the spring.

The Senior High Chorus was created to give more Willis students a chance to participate in musical activities. Older members of the chorus or members of outstanding ability pass on to the Senior High Choir.

Sondra Flowers, Melissa Blair, and Dan Hursey accompanied this singing group.

Front row: M. Householder, J. Barringer, B. Ross, T. Vipperman, T. Nutter, D. Hursey, D. Evans, D. Byerly, D. Stewart, C. Owen, B. Ingraham, S. Geesman

Second row: Miss Plum, S. Brimhall, S. Donovan, D. Wardle, T. Fox, L. Sheets, B. Strimer, D. Welch, V. Brown, L. Amick, S. Anderson

Third row: S. Scott, J. Holmes, H. Snider, K. Brown, D. Segner, N. McDonald, R. Ross, K. Hall, K. Baird, A. Moore, L. Lawson, L. Johnson

Fourth row: J. Shirling, M. Wareham, P. Oman, S. Bayliff, S. Arnold, T. Stull



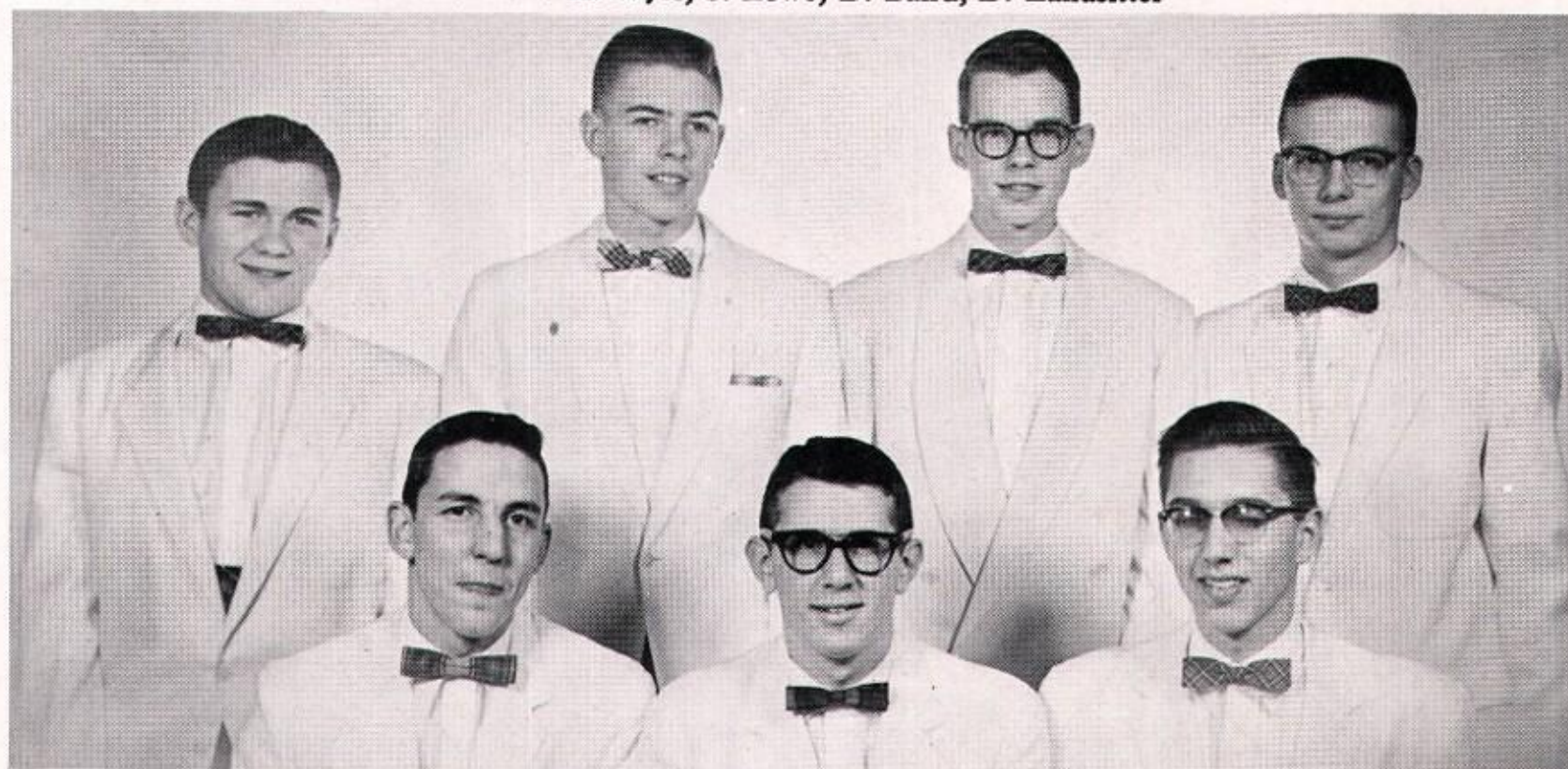
GIRLS' TRIPLE TRIO



Front row: J. Strimer, C. Blair, L. Bayliff, M. Greene
Second row: M. Teele, S. Pope, J. Ramey, J. Allen, J. Crowl, J. Felts



Front row: L. Hopper, A. Hackel, B. Lowry
Second Row: H. Wyss, S. Lowe, D. Baird, D. Landsittel



BOYS' OCTETTE



Front row: H. Wyss, D. Landsittel, B. Lowry, D. Lowry, D. Shaw
 Second row: J. Donovan, D. Keller, J. Ramey, C. Hahn

SULTANS OF SWING

The Sultans of Swing dance band was one of the busiest musical organizations at Willis, playing many engagements throughout the central part of Ohio.

This dance band, the first at Willis since 1945, was organized in 1956 by a group of boys interested in furthering their music experience. The original band consisted of seven members, but was later enlarged to nine members.

The band has been run completely by its members, who finance all of its equipment and music from the money they earn playing for various functions. The members also purchase white dinner jackets with the band's earnings.

In addition to playing many outside engagements, the band has also become a familiar sound around Willis. The Sultans have played at many of the large dances at Willis and have taken part in assemblies and other school functions.

Don Shaw was chosen as leader of the band and has acted as executive and business manager for the band since its origin.



Front row: D. Landsittel, B. McNamee, N. Osborne, V. Robinson, L. Schaffner, J. Ramey, M. Young, D. Boster, J. Marburger, B. Carnes
 Second row: L. Hill, B. Simpson, L. Barrett, D. Griffiths, L. Turney, D. Whetsel, B. Wilson, D. Baird, K. Hardin, L. Harris, B. Ufferman
 Third row: S. Bayliff, S. Scott, L. Brackney, S. O'Keefe, H. Wyss, J. Donovan, N. Patrick, A. Jeisel, G. Parks
 Fourth row: R. Nutt, C. Horn, P. Hageman, J. Young, J. Cross, L. Bayliff, A. Hackel, D. Shaw, B. Burns, G. Miller
 Fifth row: Mr. Ross, D. Keller, B. Shearman, T. Gallant, L. Sheets, W. Carnes

WILLIS HIGH

The Willis High School Band, under the direction of Mr. Eugene Ross and assistant Mr. Kenneth Jenkins, consisted of 95 members this year. The band took part in many activities of which the school and community can be proud.

The marching band marched at the football games during the nine weeks of football season. The pre-game and half-time shows the band presented were planned by the seniors of the band. Every day the band spent one hour at Community Field preparing for the coming game, often in cold and snowy weather.

The marching band wore the traditional orange and black uniforms with white accessories. The band was lead by eight high strutting majorettes, who also had a new routine each week.

The last show presented by the marching band was a farewell salute to the seniors in the band. The band took the seniors on a tour of America featuring a formation and special music for each region of America. The final formation was a pennant and as the senior's names were read they formed a "W" inside the pennant.



Front row: J. Moore, B. Ingraham, K. Baird, S. Flowers, R. Hackel, B. Ross, C. Owen, V. Roberts, J. Allen, P. Householder, M. Bigony
 Second row: B. Bollinger, J. Rapp, R. Clark, J. Barringer, M. Evans, D. O'Keefe, M. Hilborn, B. Lowry, B. Benton, R. Bell
 Third row: J. Hutchisson, W. Ebright, P. Fidler, S. Donovan, C. Main, J. Dever, E. Butts, M. Vance, E. Starky
 Fourth row: L. Gale, T. Longwell, B. Wilson, M. Wareham, B. Montgomery, C. Blair, D. Lowry, R. Rardon, L. Barrett
 Fifth row: D. Mooney, B. Rapp, S. Hasty, M. Teele, Mr. Jenkins

SCHOOL BAND

Following the marching season, the band began daily rehearsals in the band room in preparation for the coming concerts and band contest.

*The Winter Concert was held February 6 featuring the High School Band, the Cadet Band, and the Seventh Grade Band. The Spring Concert held in May featured the Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Cadet and Senior High Bands.

The band went to the Ohio High School Band Contest held at Newark, Ohio, in March and received top ratings from all judges in all divisions. The group then competed in the State Contest in April, where it also gave an excellent performance.

The annual band banquet, sponsored by the Band Parents, was held in the spring. Awards were presented at the banquet according to the number of years the member had been in the band. A band letter was presented to the first year students and a service bar to all other members for each year of participation. The seniors of the band received a silver key as their final band award.



J. Marburger, L. Bayliff, C. Bird, V. DeVries, K. Baird, B. Ross, B. Yant, B. Blair

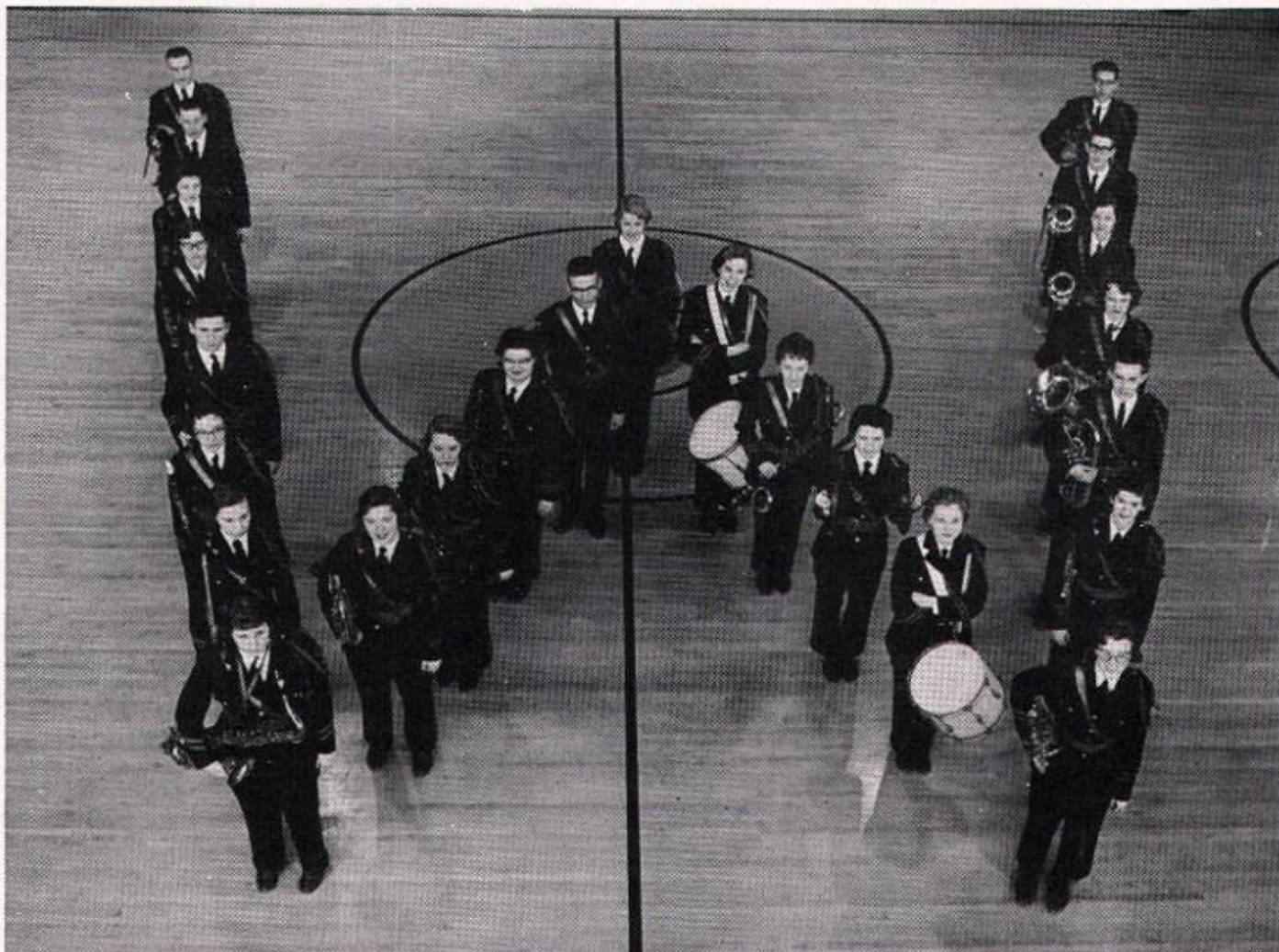
MAJORETTES

The Willis majorettes led the marching band through all types of weather and shows. Heading this list would be, of course, the weekly football games. The majorettes also appeared at the Little Brown Jug, in the Memorial Day Parade and in the Santa Claus Parade.

SENIOR BAND MEMBERS

The senior band members were honored at the last football game of the season. The show was built on their ideas of a trip around the United States. The annual band banquet also directed special attention to these tried musicians of the Willis High School Band.

D. Shaw, J. Donovan, B. McNamee, V. Robinson, H. Wyss, N. Osborne, J. Ramey, R. Rardon, L. Harris, N. Patrick, M. Young, D. Landsittel, C. Blair, B. Shearman, M. Vance, M. Teele, S. Hasty, M. Hilborn, J. Allen, B. Burns, M. Evans, L. Bayliff, A. Hackel, B. Lowry



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Front row: D. Landsittel, B. McNamee, N. Osborne
 Second row: B. Lowry, D. O'Keefe, J. Ramey, M. Young
 Third row: D. Lowry, E. Butts, H. Wyss, J. Donovan, A. Jeisel
 Fourth row: A. Hackel, L. Bayliff, D. Shaw, B. Burns
 Fifth row: W. Carnes, C. Blair, B. Shearman, S. Hasty

The Willis High School pep band, composed of members of the high school band, was under the direction of Mr. Kenneth Jenkins, assistant band director.

The pep band added much in the way of school spirit and enthusiasm to the pep assemblies and basketball games. The pep band also took part in the homecoming pep rallies and other community functions.

One day the band will never forget is December 10 when it played atop a truck for a parade bringing Santa Claus to town. It was so cold that the instruments froze and no one could play a note.

THE MARCHING BAND IN ACTION





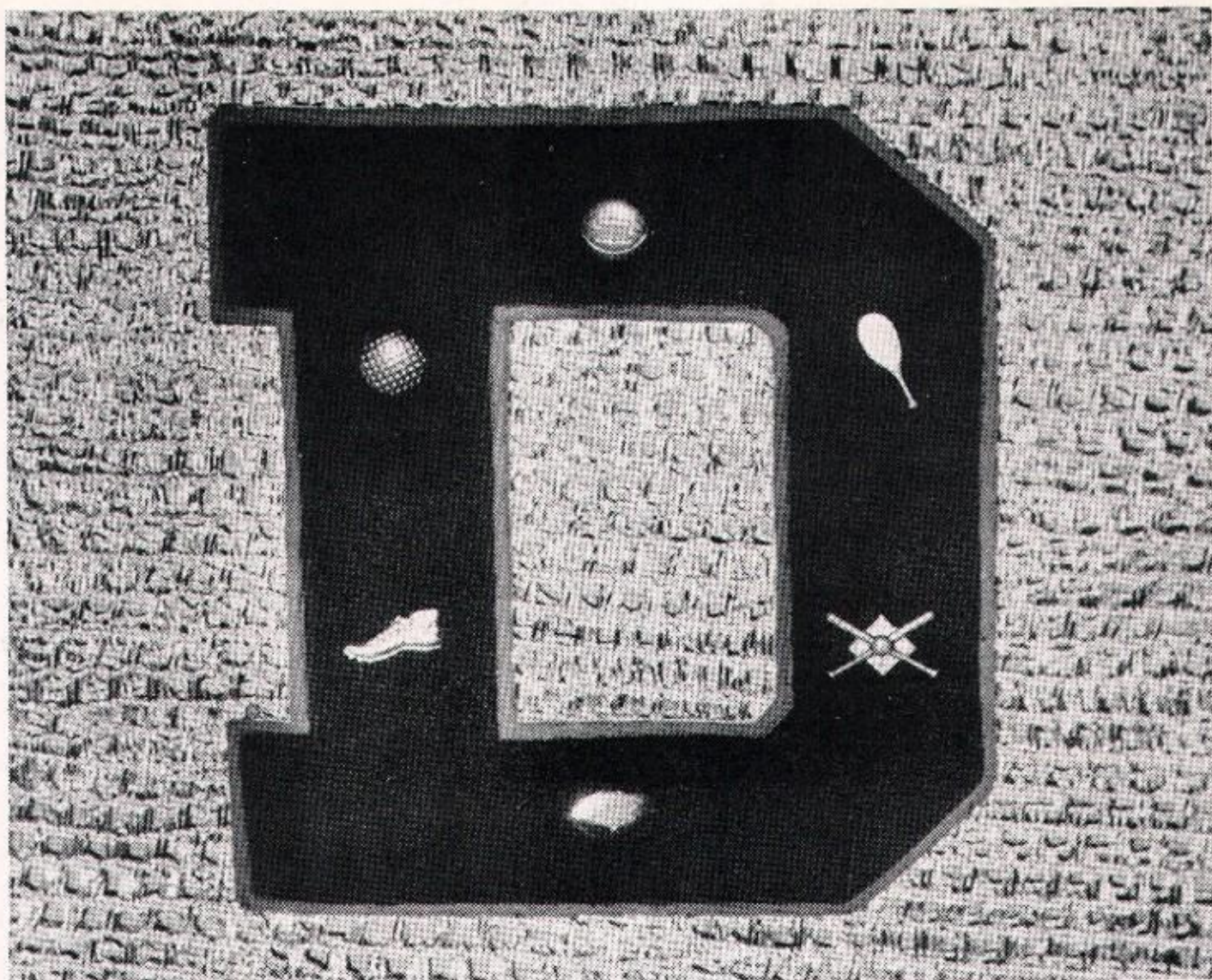
Front row: C. Lobdell, J. Baker, W. Banks, J. Whetmore, R. Ebright, S. Patrick, M. Carson, B. Morrison, C. Graham, M. Polites, K. Flowers, K. Flowers
 Second row: P. Law, P. Welch, C. Mullins, V. Phillips, B. Lowry, J. Carnes, W. Oehler, B. Bigony, S. Wickham, C. Shonting
 Third row: J. Lewis, C. Brenneman, M. Price, F. Montgomery, B. Wilson, R. Roberts, T. Ivers, T. Ackley, C. Stiles
 Fourth row: Mr. Ross, Mr. Jenkins

CADET BAND

The Cadet Band is made up of eighth and ninth graders and is directed by Mr. Jenkins. The group played for a junior high assembly, and along with the Senior High Band and Seventh Grade Band it played at the annual winter concert. Besides the many marches, the band played some difficult concert music. The band spent much time on the exercises which the members had to pass before being admitted to the Senior High Band.



THE SENIOR HIGH BAND AT PRACTICE



ATHLETICS





Front row, managers: W. Thompson, F. Caldwell, J. Ballard
 Second row: B. Rapp, D. Lee, J. Jones, T. Pope, G. Bauman, G. MacDonald
 Third row: Coach Coyle, Coach Middleton, J. Ditslear, J. Donovan, J. Hilborn, S. Buzard, A. Boecklin, J. Fouts
 Fourth row: J. Holmes, J. Lowry, J. Shaw, L. Hall, B. Montgomery, T. Masters, T. Rybolt

L. Hopper, T. Heineman

FOOTBALL

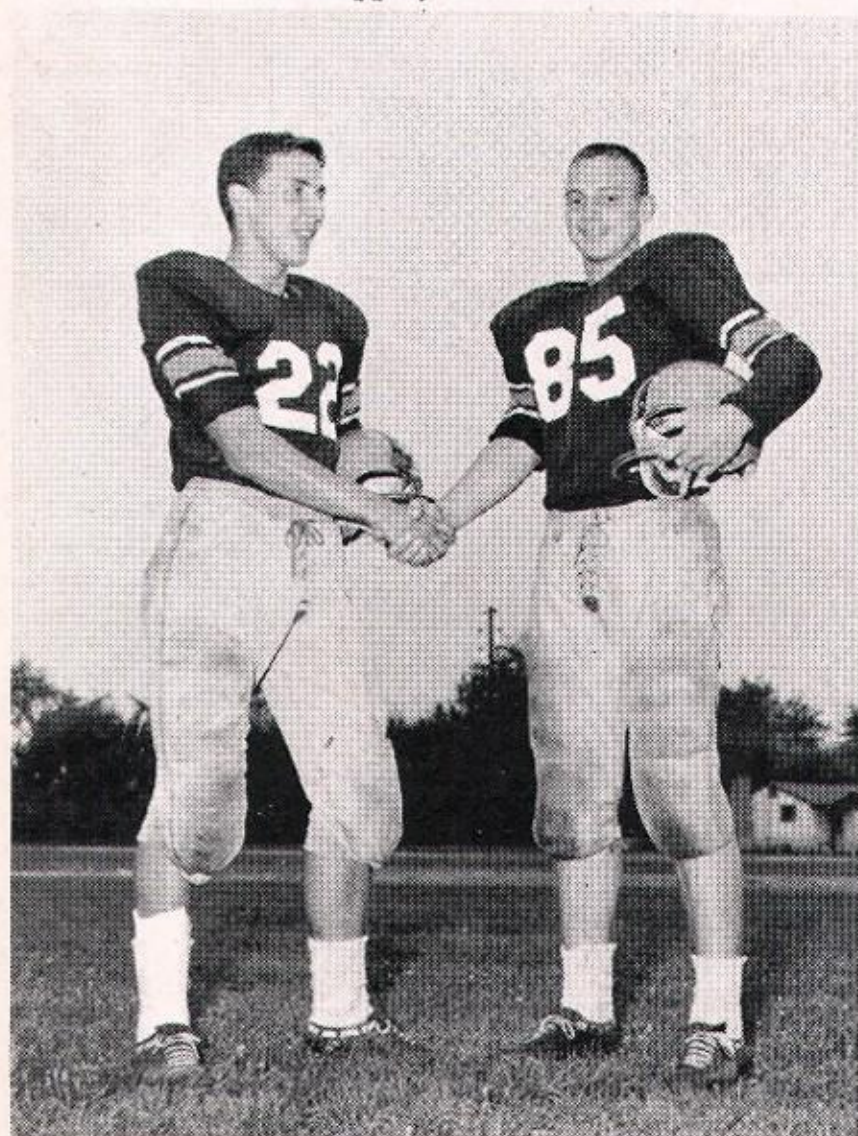
The 1957-58 Panther squad, under the leadership of co-captains Terry Heinaman and Larry Hooper, demonstrated excellent fighting spirit throughout the season. Dorrance Hill and Terry Heinaman were named to the All-Central Buckeye League squad, with honorable mention going to Ed Black, Tom Cowan, Larry Hall, Terry Masters, Bob Montgomery, and Jim Shaw.

At the end of the season, Coach Dick Coyle announced that the team chose to select a captain for each game next year, rather than having the office be a permanent job. This was Mr. Coyle's last year in coaching; he plans to enter the field of guidance. He was assisted this year by Dave Thomas. Other coaches were Ray Middleton, in charge of freshman football, and Del Cornwell, coach of the junior high squad.

The 1957-58 results are:

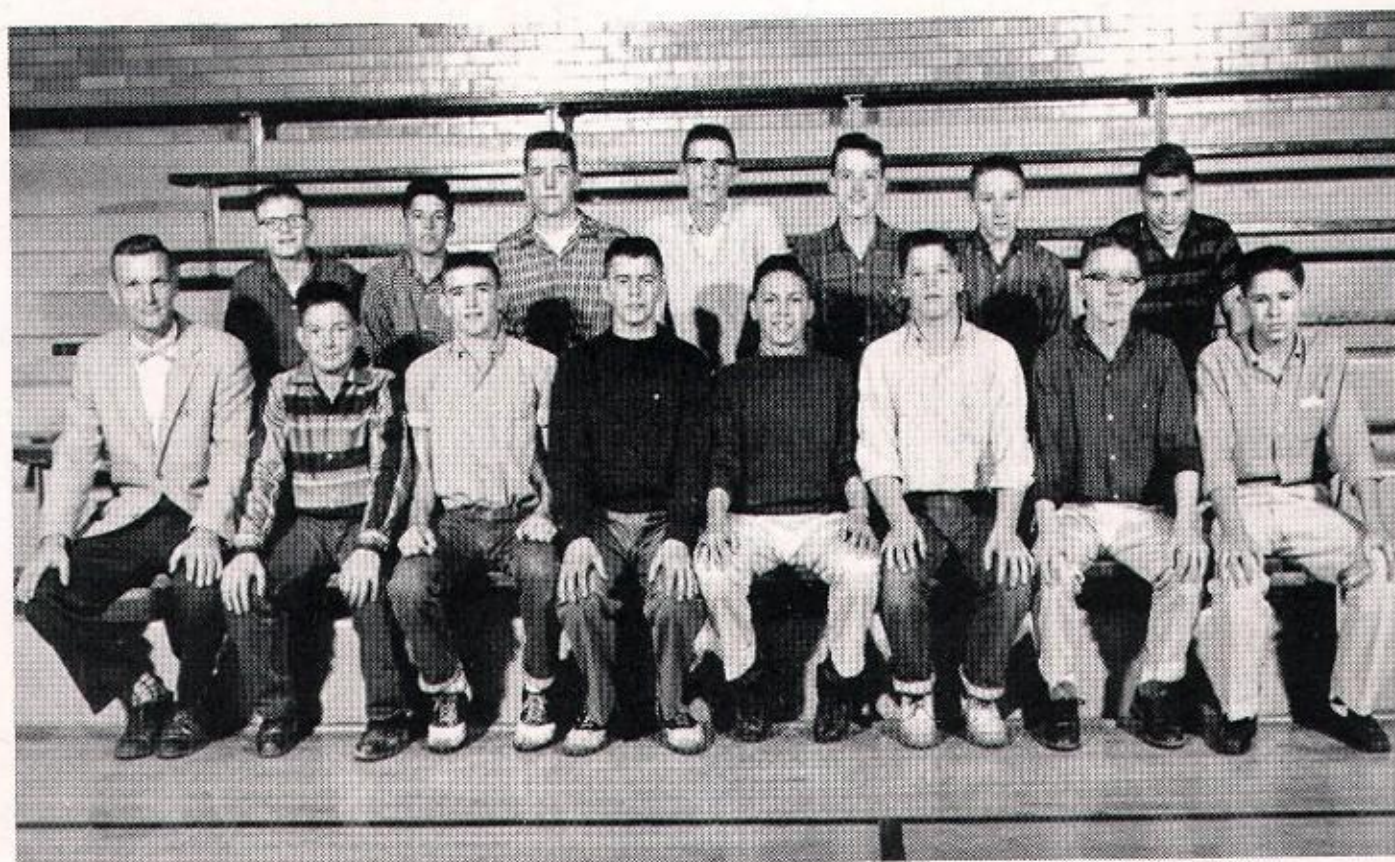
Willis	0	Marysville	26
Willis	6	Worthington	7
Willis	0	Urbana	41
Willis	19	Arlington	46
Willis	0	Mt. Vernon	39
Willis	7	Grandview	19
Willis	12	Bexley	35
Willis	7	Dayton Belmont	31
Willis	12	St. Charles	46

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Front row, managers: D. Dalton, R. Lenscott
 Second row: B. Burns, R. Poulton, D. Hopkins, D. Wardle, K. Bensley
 Third row: T. Heineman, P. Grant, H. Banks, L. Lowry, E. Black, D. Hill, Coach Thomas
 Fourth row: M. Patrick, L. Hopper, L. Gale, T. Driggs, D. Davenport, R. Bonner, H. Welch



FRESHMAN FOOTBALL

Front row: Mr. Middleton, C. Horn, K. Hall, D. Burns, J. Rapp, T. Pope, B. Strimer, J. Robinson
 Second row: T. Campbell, A. Flemming, K. Sanderson, D. Bertram, C. Ellis, R. George, D. Welsh

QUEEN

NANCY



HOMECOMING

This year ten senior girls were nominated by the football team and Student Council for the homecoming election. The election of the queen and her court was made by members of the student body. They chose Nancy Slagle for their homecoming queen and Jeanne Felts, Sue Hasty, Judy Seidl and Judy Strimer as members of her court.

The queen and her court were honored by the student body at an assembly planned by the reserve cheerleaders. Before the game with Bexley, a pre-game parade was also held in honor of the queen and her court. The parade consisted of floats from the various clubs and classes, junior high bicycles, convertibles carrying the queen and her court members with their escorts, and the high school marching band. After forming in front of the high school on Winter Street, the parade went through town and out William Street to Community Field.

In final recognition of the queen and her attendants a dance sponsored by W-Teens was held in the high school gym. During the intermission the queen was presented with a football autographed by members of the football team and the court members were presented footballs inscribed with their own names.

QUEEN NANCY

J. SEIDL

S. HASTY



J. STRIMER

J. FELTS



VARSITY

K. Hardin, L. Carlisle, M. Reed, J. Seidl, P. Rayburn, N. Slagle

CHEERLEADERS

With the help of Willie, the Panther, the twelve Willis cheerleaders led the high school in promoting increased school spirit. The girls were always on hand to give moral support to the team and crowd.

Each spring, the D-Clan, student council, football and basketball teams, senior varsity cheerleaders, and faculty members elect twelve cheerleaders for the following year.

This year the varsity cheerleaders, a group of three juniors and three seniors, were led by captain Linda Carlisle and co-captain Phyllis Rayburn. They cheered for varsity football and basketball games, planned pep assemblies, sold tickets, and sponsored dances after some games. The girls also attended a cheerleading clinic in the early fall.

Vickie Roberts, captain, and Jean Burkhart, co-captain, were the leaders of the six sophomores on the reserve squad. The girls, besides cheering for games and pep assemblies, made posters and pom-poms which added a great deal to school support of the team.

Miss Pearle Wells sponsored both groups of cheerleaders this year.

RESERVES

J. Burkhart, K. Jones, N. Moses, V. Roberts, T. Sell, M. Hopkins

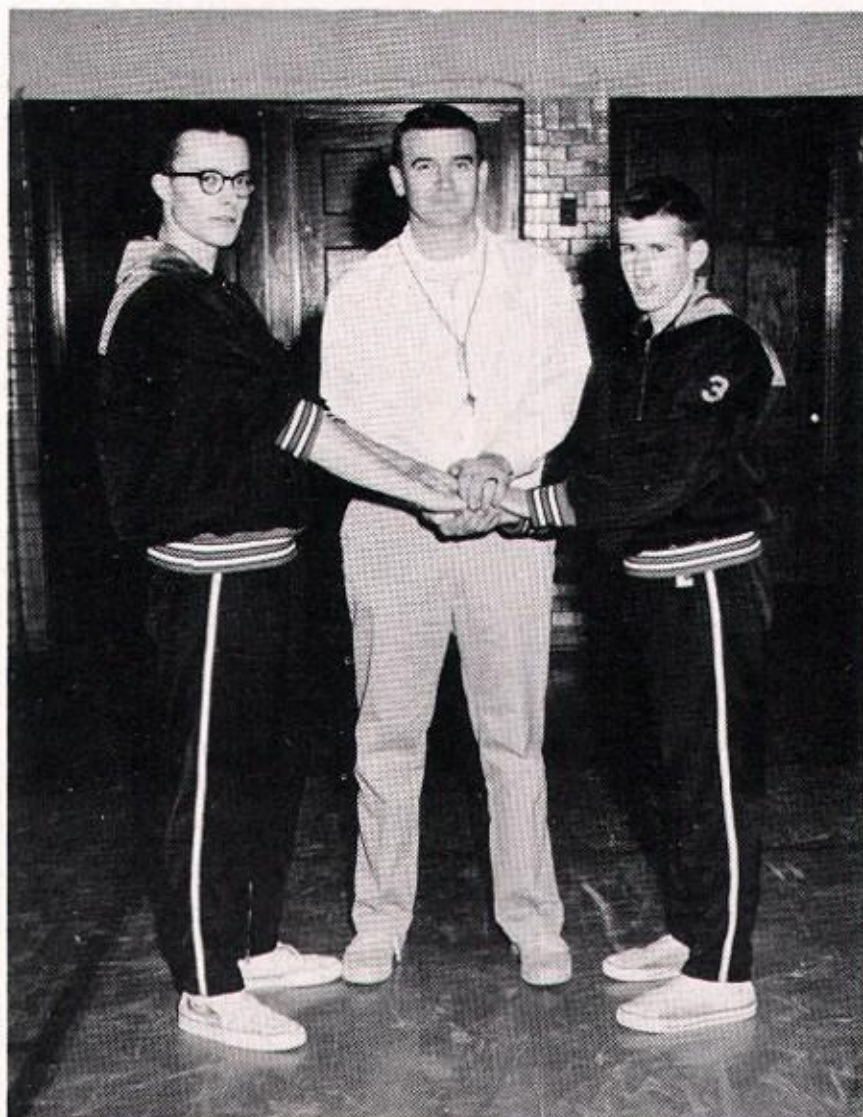




Front row: Mr. Cornwell, F. Scarry, T. Fox, D. Keller
 Second row: L. Gongwer, S. Buzard, A. Boecklin, H. Banks, R. Clark, K. Bensley, B. Gallant

VARSITY BASKETBALL

Coach Cornwell is sharing a final handshake with Larry Gongwer and Bob Gallant



The Willis varsity basketball team, coached by Del Cornwell, defeated five of nine non-league opponents, but was unable to win in the C.B.L. It was a young team which promises to be much better next season. Only two lettermen will graduate this year, Bob Gallant and Larry Gongwer. The returning squad includes Tom Rybolt, class of '59, and Arnold Boecklin, Henry Banks, Ken Bensley, Sam Buzard and Roy Clark, all class of '60.

Top individual varsity scorers were Rybolt with 178 points, Clark with 175, and Gongwer with 172.

The Willis reserves, coached by Dave Thomas, gave promise of a brighter future for Panther basketball. Although shorter than most of their opponents, they made up for their lack of height with spirit.



Front row: D. Dorsey, R. Ross, J. Hawkins, K. Sanderson, Mr. Thomas, R. Taylor, B. Strimer, T. Longwell, D. Evans
Center: W. Thompson

RESERVE BASKETBALL

Tom Rybolt, top scorer for the varsity Panthers, is shown during a tense moment at the Urbana game

VARSITY SCHEDULE

Willis 64 — Aquinas 63
 Willis 45 — Mt. Vernon 80
 Willis 60 — Marysville 37
 Willis 51 — Grandview 60
 Willis 50 — Bexley 83
 Willis 55 — Sycamore 46
 Willis 53 — Upper Sandusky 48
 Willis 49 — Worthington 56
 Willis 50 — Linden 56
 Willis 52 — Urbana 60
 Willis 54 — Arlington 66
 Willis 38 — Mt. Vernon 44
 Willis 42 — Gahanna 60
 Willis 41 — Grandview 65
 Willis 44 — Academy 38
 Willis 42 — Bexley 59
 Willis 59 — Urbana 78
 Willis 49 — Arlington 74





Kneeling: J. Hilborn, K. Bensley, H. Banks, L. Gongwer, G. Morris, G. McDonald, T. Heineman, B. Gallant
 Standing: Coach Middleton, B. Wilson, J. Rapp, D. Bertraman, J. Holms, G. Tagg, C. Horn, A. Flemming

BASEBALL

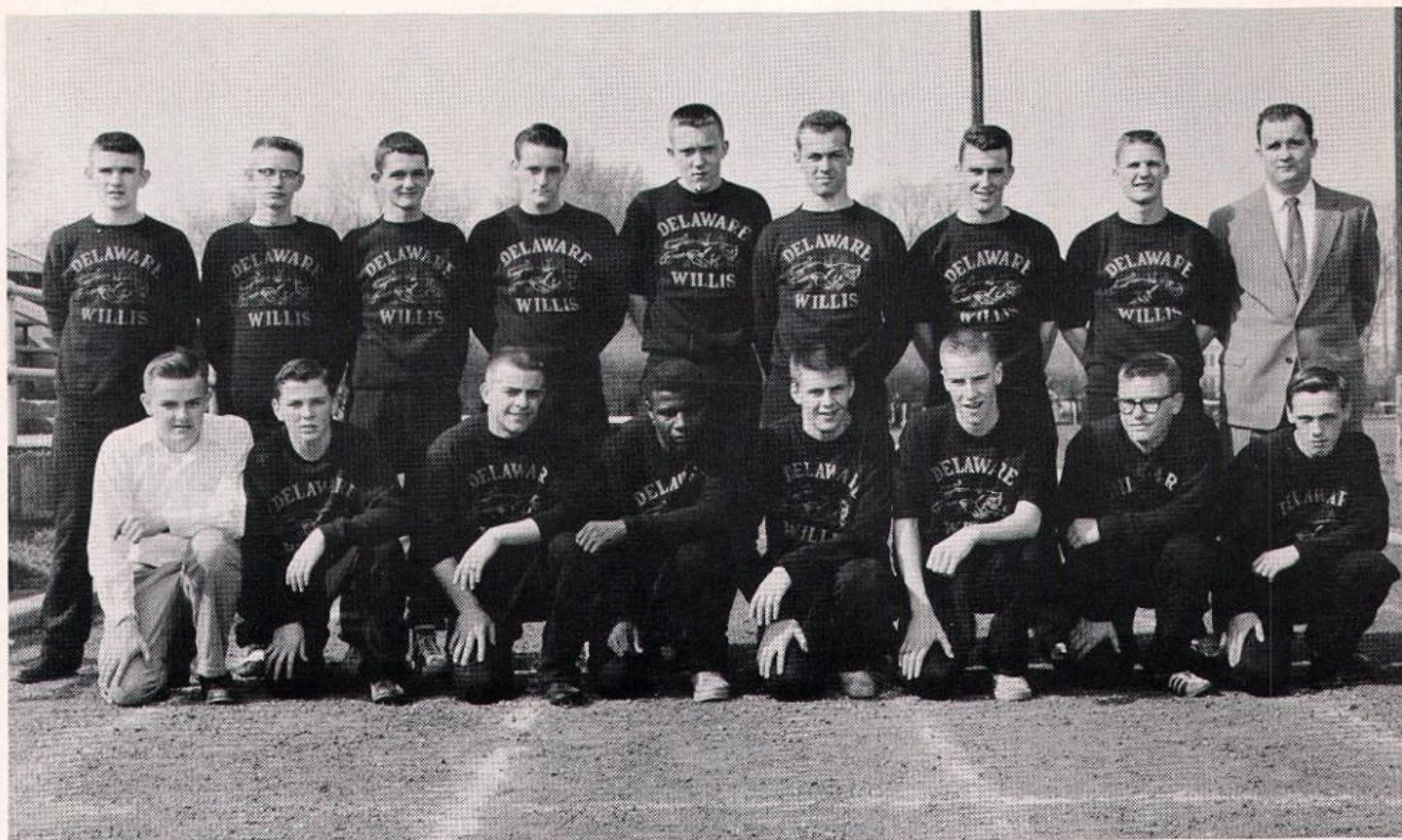
The seniors on the 1958 squad were Terry Heineman, and Larry Gongwer (kneeling) and George Morris and Bob Gallant (standing).



This year's baseball squad was well-supported by the seven returning lettermen, seniors Bob Gallant, Larry Gongwer, Terry Heineman, George Morris; juniors Garry McDonald and Bob Ufferman; and sophomore Roy Clark. The team made a good showing in the C. B. L. under the direction of Coach Ray Middleton. The reserve squad played a six game schedule, and gained much valuable experience during the season.

The varsity schedule for the year was:

April	8	— Bexley
April	11	— Arlington
April	12	— Marion
April	15	— Worthington
April	18	— Urbana
April	22	— Grandview
April	25	— Whitehall
April	29	— Mt. Vernon
May	2	— Bexley
May	6	— Arlington
May	9	— Worthington
May	13	— Urbana
May	16	— Grandview
May	20	— Whitehall
May	23	— Mt. Vernon



Kneeling: F. Scary, B. Rapp, E. Black, D. Hill, D. Burns, D. Hopkins, G. Miller, K. Payne
 Standing: K. Hall, R. Taylor, E. Bills, L. Newhouse, T. Driggs, F. Matanzo, J. Hawkins, T. Pope, Coach Thomas

TRACK

The 1957-58 track team was one of the largest Willis has ever had. The group included five lettermen: Ed Black, Dorrance Hill, Larry Hopper, Frank Matanzo, and Gary Miller. These five were well-supported by a large group of juniors, sophomores, and freshmen.

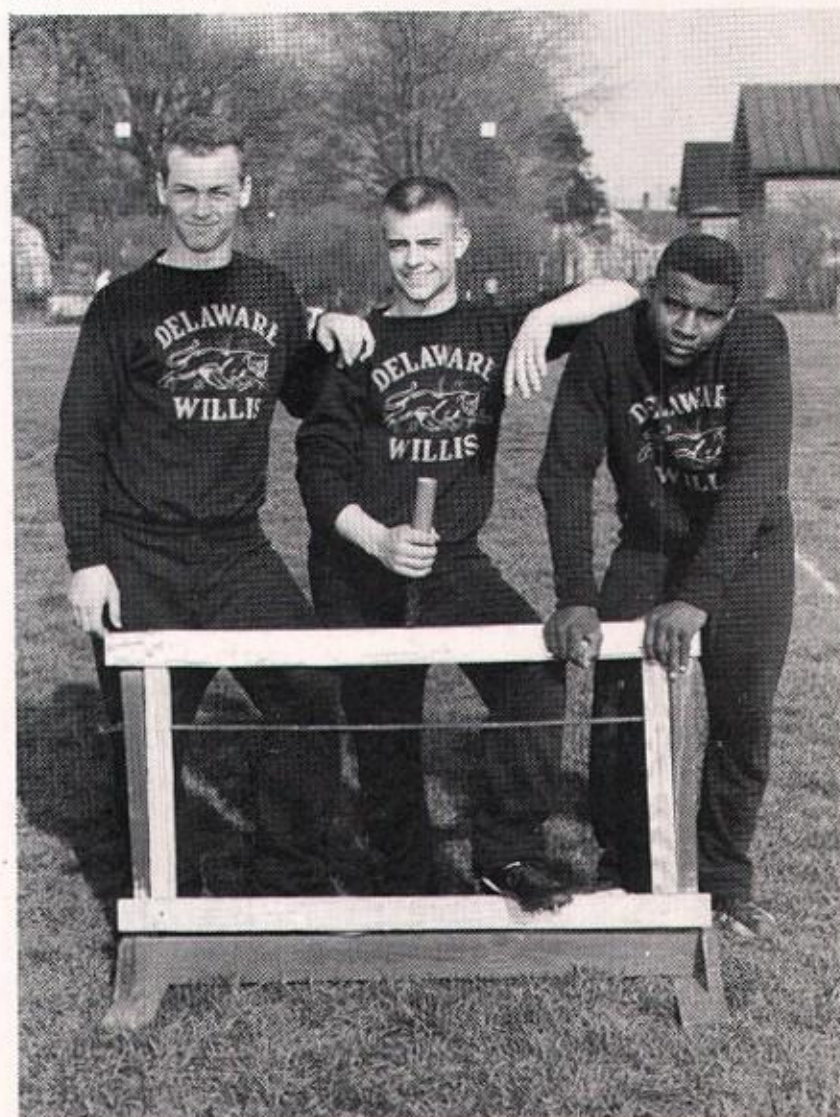
The junior high track team, under the direction of Mr. Thomas Reardon, practiced after school and carried on competition between the eighth and seventh grade teams.

The varsity team competed in the following meets:

- April 9 — Richwood, Elm Valley
- April 16 — Bexley, Marysville
- April 23 — Olentangy, Big Walnut
- April 26 — Wesleyan Relays
- April 30 — Mount Vernon, Eastmore
- May 7 — CBL Meet
- May 9 — Grandview, Pleasant Local
- May 13 — Upper Arlington Relays
- May 16 and 17 — District Meet

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Frank Matanzo, Ed Black, and Dorrance Hill are the graduating track men, along with Larry Hopper, who is not pictured.





Coach Cornwell, B. Russell, B. Patrick, A. Hackel, R. Morrison, T. Gallant, M. Thatcher

GOLF

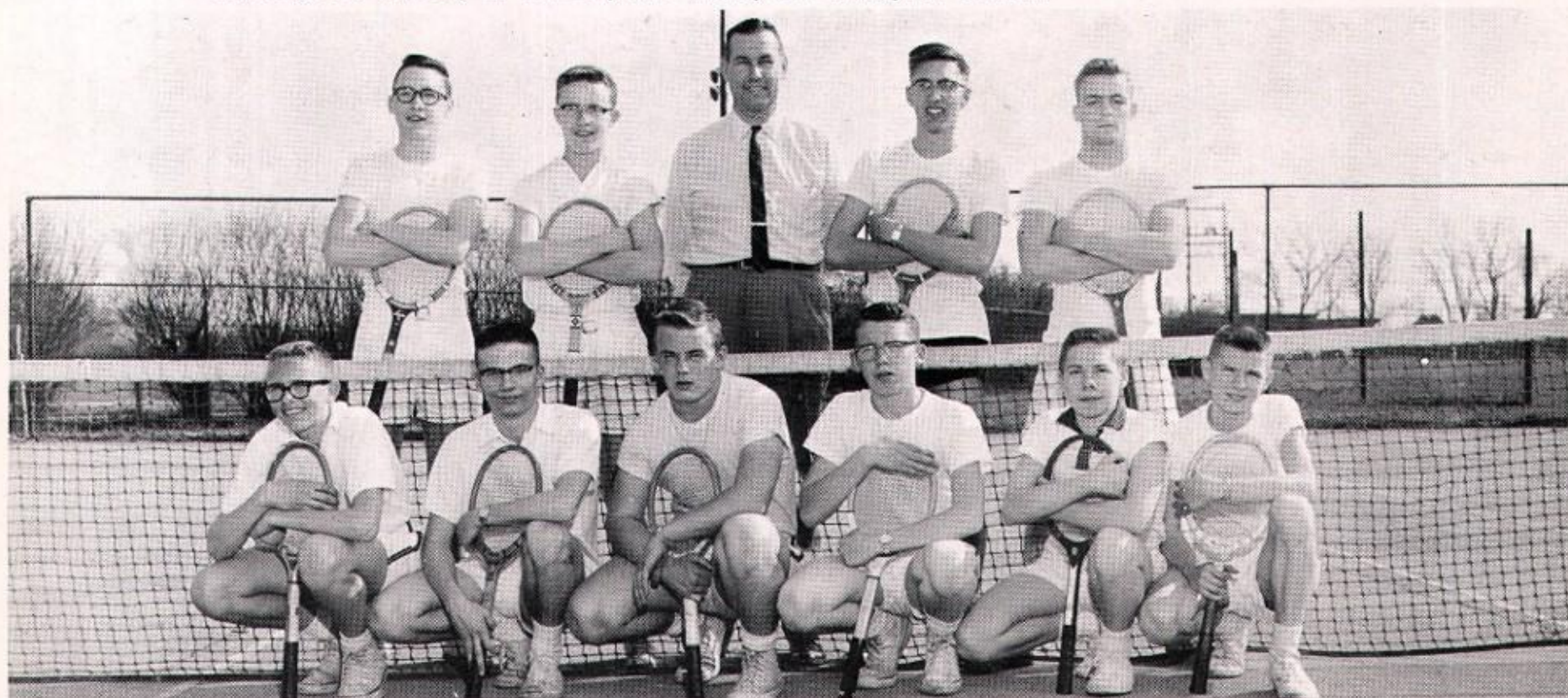
The golf team had an active year in 1957-58. Ted Gallant, Bob Patrick, and Tom Longwell were the returning lettermen this year; Alan Hackel was the only senior on the team. The group practiced at the Delaware Country Club, and under the direction of Coach Del Cornwell, the members did well in the C.B.L. competition.

TENNIS

Under the leadership of a new head coach, Sherman Moist, the Willis High School tennis team hoped to bring a Central Buckeye League championship to the school. Two lettermen returning from last year's squad formed the nucleus of the group. The veterans were David Landsittel, a senior and three-year letter winner, and David Dorsey, a promising sophomore. These experienced netters were supported by several other upperclassmen as well as some up and coming freshmen.

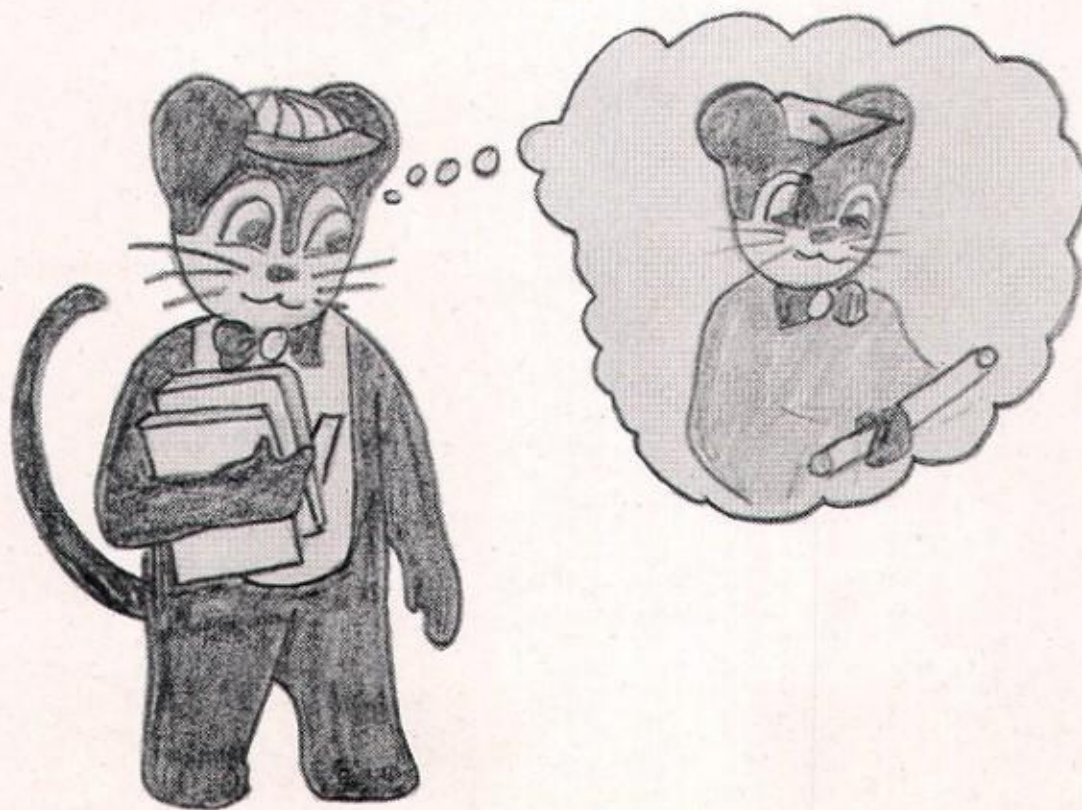
As in past years, the squad of this season was seen putting in long hours of practice on the Willis courts each spring afternoon. The netters also spent week-ends out on the courts seeking to perfect their form. The hard practice helped the racket squad to a successful season in inter-school play.

Kneeling: D. Dorsey, D. Landsittel, G. Bauman, J. Wickham, D. O'Keefe, B. Bolinger
Standing: B. Wilson, B. Strimer, Mr. Moist, B. Lowry, M. Patrick





JUNIOR HIGH



EIGHTH GRADE



E. Adair G. Adkins M. Aller D. Allison J. Axline J. Bachelor J. Bailey J. Baker W. Banks M. Barnhart P. Bartlett D. Betts
 J. Bibler B. Bigony N. Bird R. Boham T. Bollens H. Bonner D. Borden J. Borland C. Breece D. Breece C. Brenneman E. Bright
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J. Lewis C. Linscott M. Little C. Lobdell W. Lowry J. Maggard M. Marshall G. Massie D. Mather P. Matthews G. McCumber S. McElfresh
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 S. Wickham B. Wilkinson R. Williams B. Wilson R. Wilson J. Wirick T. Workman

SEVENTH GRADE



J. Acker	R. Adams	S. Adkins	S. Aller	D. Anderson	J. Bachelor	R. Balthaser	B. Bame	J. Bame	C. Banks
J. Banks	T. Barker	P. Barris	M. Bauman	S. Beckley	P. Bills	K. Bobula	S. Boham	J. Borden	B. Bowlus
J. Bowman	C. Bradley	J. Breece	M. Brohard	M. A. Brohard	S. Buckingham	R. Buford	E. Bump	K. Burkhardt	G. Burns
J. Burns	K. Burrell	E. Butcher	M. Catrow	P. Cavote	J. Christian	A. Coakley	L. Cochran	J. Coover	D. Corley
G. Cox	B. Crist	M. Cromwell	R. Crumb	C. Curtis	P. Davis	T. Deel	R. Dent	B. DeWitt	A. Ditslear
P. Doland	T. Donegan	B. Dunlap	B. Dunlap	C. Dunlap	D. Dutcher	J. Edelblute	S. Elliott	M. Evans	D. Farrand
J. Feinberg	A. Fichter	M. Fickle	J. Fish	C. Flournoy	J. Foor	J. Fouts	M. Fraser	J. Freeman	L. Frye
V. Gale	T. Gardner	L. Gary	V. Gatton	J. Gay	K. Greene	D. Gross	S. Haggard	B. Hampton	J. Harris
S. Hart	D. Hedges	C. Henry	J. Hines	O. Hing	M. Hughes	A. Ingraham	R. Inlow	R. Jackson	V. Jackson



C. Johnson M. Johnson J. Jones N. Jones A. Kebker S. Keller K. Kelley W. Kerr P. Kimbleton B. King
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 A. Nogle J. Oberlander S. O'Quinn D. Parks E. Paulins P. Payne R. Petty R. Pickens S. Pinney T. Plougher
 R. Price R. Pyles L. Randolph J. Rardon T. Reed W. Richardson R. Roloson R. Roof D. Rybolt C. Salisbury
 B. Selby R. Shank R. Shanklin H. Shaw D. Sheets J. Sheets W. Sheets R. Shepherd R. Sherman B. Shuster
 J. Shuster K. Shuster S. Simpson E. Smart C. Smith J. Spring T. Spurlock E. Starling T. Stephenson M. Stevens
 P. Stover H. Swope J. Tagg W. Talkington J. Taynor M. Thompson P. Thompson H. Travillion L. Voorhes I. Wells
 P. Wenger K. Wheeler J. Whetsel C. White S. Williams C. Wolfe J. Wolfe J. Zimmerman



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 Second row: J. Leninger, P. Doland, D. Maggard, A. Fichter, J. Borden, J. Gay, M. Brohard, D. Sheets, W. Klingler, W. Sheets, J. Burns, B. Inlow, J. Fouts
 Third row: M. Stevens, T. Plogher, J. Banks, J. Whetsel, J. Feinberg, C. Johnson, B. Hampton, T. Landsittel, V. Jackson, P. Thompson, K. Burkhardt, P. Wenger, L. Frye
 Fourth row: Mr. Ross

SEVENTH GRADE BAND

The Seventh Grade Band, directed by Mr. Kenneth Jenkins, Willis High School's assistant band director, participated in the Winter Concert, Spring Concert, and a Junior High Assembly. The group, which is composed of thirty-one musicians, had a distribution of brass, woodwind, and percussion players, and they were particularly noted for their interpretation of *The King and I*.

Also under the direction of Mr. Jenkins was the orchestra. The only difference between the two groups was that the orchestra had a string section. They did not participate in any major concerts for they were in an experimental stage all year.

ORCHESTRA

Front row: K. Flowers, S. Flowers, K. Flowers, M. Thompson, C. Graham, M. Polites, L. Frye
 Second row: S. O'Keefe, S. Scott, V. Phillips, P. Long, Mr. Jenkins, E. Bigony, J. Barringer, D. Keller





Front row: M. Kirkpatrick, R. Furniss, J. Bright, R. King, R. Ullom, R. Roberts, D. DeVries, B. Wanzo
 Second row: B. Wilson, S. Pratt, F. Montgomery, B. Wilson, D. Rybolt, Mr. Robert Bensinger, R. Price, E. Schramm, J. Burkhardt, B. Wilson, B. Carson

EIGHTH GRADE BASKETBALL

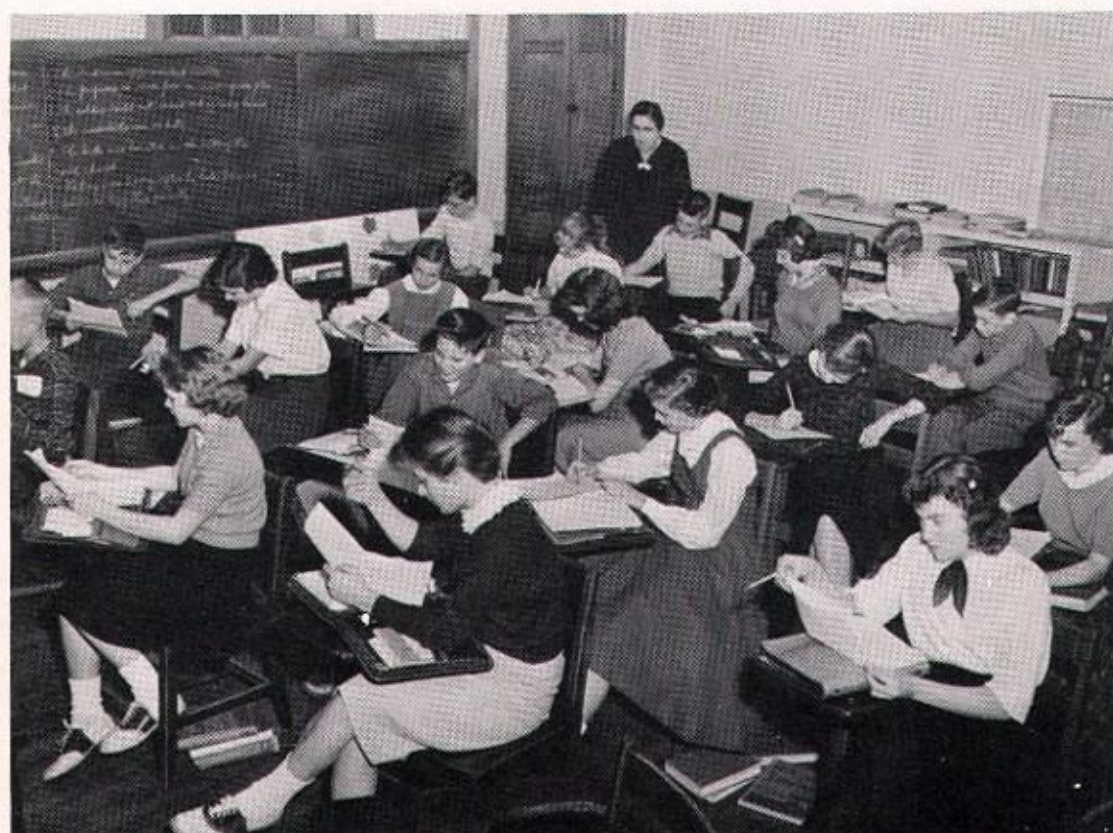
The eighth grade basketball squad, led by co-captains Sam Pratt and Ben Wilson, had an excellent record of eleven straight wins against teams from other schools and from the C.B.L. The squad was assisted to its success by Bob Bensinger. This fine group of boys makes Willis' future success in athletic competition a sure thing. Dan Rybolt, a seventh-grader, played on this team. However, there was a seventh-grade squad which also gave an excellent performance this season.

This large group of junior high football players will provide the school with varsity players in years to come. The boys learned the basic fundamentals of the sport through intrasquad play. Under the guidance of Coach Del Cornwell, members of the squad showed promise of future Panther victories.

JUNIOR HIGH FOOTBALL

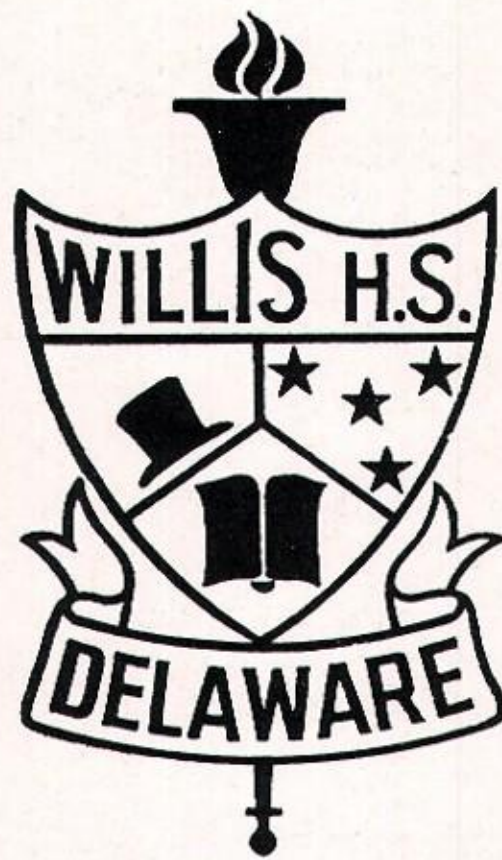
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 Second row: L. Caudill, J. Acker, M. McBride, C. Johnson, J. Lehner, J. Lee, J. Bright, T. Reed, T. Landsittel, P. Kissner, M. Bauman, R. Skatz, H. Shaw
 Third row: Mr. Bensinger, R. King, J. Banks, B. Wilson, S. Elliott, R. Roberts, D. Anderson, F. Montgomery, D. DeVries, C. Smith, R. Pyles, R. Hoffman, Mr. Cornwell
 Fourth row: D. Rybolt, S. Pratt, J. Burkhardt, J. Burns, D. Furniss, F. Raile, P. Gabele, B. Wilson, C. Nauman, T. Thompson, E. Schramm, J. Borland, D. Wickham





CORE

Mrs. McMinn, Mrs. Albertson, and Mrs. Zimmerman are pictured instructing classes in core, a program which combines the study of English and social studies into one unit. Core is the popular slanguage for correlation, the true name for this system. Under this program, the junior high students are given an opportunity to see how their various studies are closely connected, or correlated. The students are assigned to a Core at the beginning of the year, and this group becomes the center for many activities. The intermural program is based on inter-core competition, trips are planned with the core system in mind, and any extra curricular activities are performed with the core unit. There are seven eighth grade cores and the same number of seventh grade cores, all working to prepare the junior high student with a solid background for senior high school work.



SCHOOL LIFE



WILLY'S DIARY

SEPTEMBER

- 4 First day of school. Fun to see the kids again.
- 6 Preview football game at Wooster.
- 13 First pep assembly. First football game — at Marysville.
- 16-20 No school in the afternoon because of County Fair.
- 18 Four girls reigned as queens at Grand Circuit Races.
- 20 Football game at Worthington.
- 27 First C.B.L. football game at Urbana.

OCTOBER

- 4 Dad's Night football game with Arlington.
- 11 Football game at Mt. Vernon.
- 14 The first **Delhi** subscription campaign started.
- 14-18 Members of the F. F. A. went to the National Convention in Kansas City.
- 18 C.B.L. football game at Grandview.
- 21 The magazine campaign started out with a bang at the annual assembly.
- 24 The Homecoming assembly was held; the Bexley dummy was burned at the pep rally at Community Field.
- 25 Willis played Bexley in the Homecoming game. W-Teens sponsored the big dance afterwards.

NOVEMBER

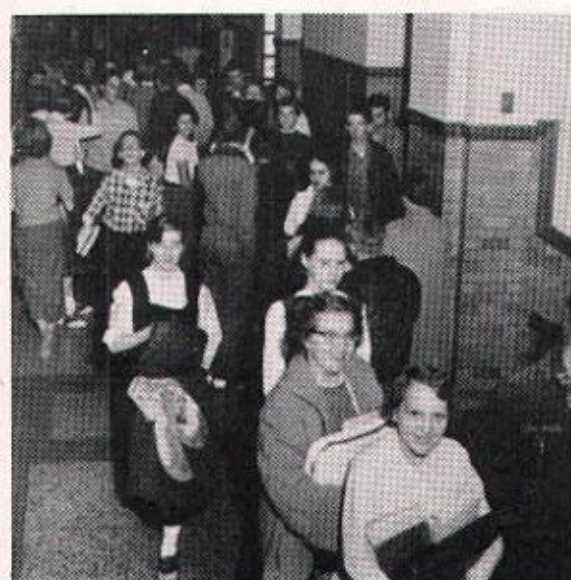
- 11 No school — Veteran's Day.
- 12 Juniors took the O.S.U. Psychological Test; W-Teens Playnight was held and letters were awarded.
- 13 **Delhi** group pictures of groups and classrooms were taken.
- 20 Four members of Willis Student Council visited the new high school in Arlington.
- 23 Debate tourney at North High School. The Willis team captured first place.
- 26 The Thanksgiving Assembly was held. Rev. Campbell gave the talk.
- 27 End of the second estimate; the movie **The Man Who Knew Too Much** was shown.
- 28-30 Thanksgiving vacation — a welcome relief.

DECEMBER

- 5 College Night was held for juniors and seniors. Each student heard representatives from two colleges.
- 6 The Student Council took a trip to Worthington; first C.B.L. basketball game at Mt. Vernon.
- 7 Many seniors took College Boards all day. The W-Teens winter formal, "Silver Bells" was held in the beautifully decorated gym.
- 9 The second **Delhi** campaign began.
- 10 Willis beat Marysville in basketball.
- 17 The Christmas Assembly was held.
- 19 Willis choral groups gave the annual Christmas Concert. This year it was held in the auditorium.
- 20 Last day of school before vacation! We saw **Somebody Up There Likes Me**. Willis played Bexley for the Winter Homecoming game. It was great to have the alums back.
- 27-28 We won the basketball tournament with Sycamore, Upper Sandusky and Marión Catholic at Marion.
- 31 The Mistletoe Mix was held in the gym for junior and senior high students.

JANUARY

- 2 Back to the old grind after a grand vacation!
- 10 Seniors took the Senior Scholarship Test. Willis played Urbana in basketball here.
- 17 **High Society** was seen. We played a lively basketball game at home with Arlington.
- 20-22 Semester finals — anybody have an aspirin?
- 24 With no school — semester vacation. There was time to enjoy the basketball game with Mt. Vernon.
- 27 First day of second semester — halfway there!
- 27 Mr. Cubberly was busy snapping more **Delhi** group pictures.
- 31 Several members of Student Council went to Newark. The Grandview basketball team made it to the game here — they played!



Top row: Our Fair Queens helped rule at the Old Oaken Bucket — L. Carlisle, J. Felts, J. Strimer, C. Blair. The Westgate Drive is represented by A. Boecklin and S. Geesman.

Second row: The crowd cheers the team on, and a referee appears to be very interested in the game, also.

Third row: Don't they all look eager to begin school? However, we don't study always. N. Slagle, L. Carlisle, J. Seidl, P. Rayburn, K. Hardin, and M. Reed lead us in cheers, and we also work for dances. Congratulations, artists!

Fourth row: G. King, K. Terry, K. Deel, J. Riley, C. Bachelor, D. Segner and J. Harter found out that "everything's up-to-date in Kansas City," while J. Donovan, B. Burns, C. Lobdell and E. Black find out that they're not quite so up-to-date on physics. S. Kellar, J. Reed, M. Patrick, B. Roberts, and G. McDonald try out a new car.

WILLY'S DIARY

FEBRUARY

- 1 The debate team traveled to the Heidleburg Invitational Debate Tournament and won third place.
- 5 Some more student council members visited Urbana.
- 6 The Senior High Band, assisted by the Junior High Band and Cadet Band, presented its annual winter concert.
- 7 The basketball team traveled to Bexley for a game.
- 8 The Willis N. F. L. chapter held its annual debate tournament — anybody see an extra timekeeper?
- 11 The O. W. U. Men's Glee Club presented a thrilling concert at the assembly.
- 13 The Choral Ensemble entertained at the P. T. A. Founder's Day meeting.
- 14 The Senior High had dress-up-day; anybody else going to change their shoes? Moms of the players and cheerleaders were honored at the last home C.B.L. game of the season.
- 15 The F. H. A. held their "Queen of Hearts" dance in the gym — "Whose my valentine?"
- 20 The movie *The Harder They Fall* was seen by all.
- 21 The vacation for Washington's Birthday gave studying a good chance to see the last C.B.L. game at Arlington.
- 22 Ohio High School Speech League finals were held in Columbus. Five people qualified for State Finals.
- 28-March 1 N. F. L. District Finals were held at Ohio University. Sandra Bayliff qualified for Nationals and the debate qualified for State Finals.

MARCH

- 4 The Senior High band played for assembly — hope none heard that wrong note!
- 10 Many music students heard the famed Minneapolis Symphony at the Youth Concert at Gray Chapel.
- 11-13 Junior High students took achievement tests — anybody ready for a rest?
- 13 F. F. A. held their annual banquet at Bun's.
- 15 The local Science Fair was held in the morning, the district band contest took place during the afternoon at Newark, and the Hi-Y Key Club held the annual Spring Formal, "My Fair Lady."
- 21 Ohio High School Speech League Finals were held at Ohio State all day.
- 22 Many students participated in the District Science Fair. Eighteen students received Superior ratings.
- 29 The Seniors bid farewell and headed for a fabulous trip while the others relaxed during Spring Vacation.

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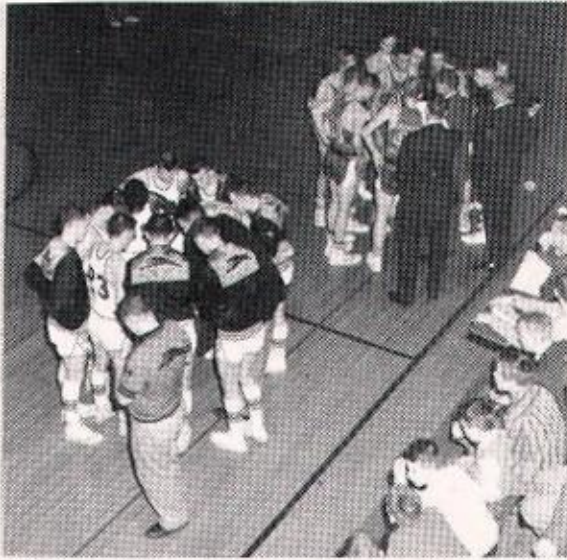
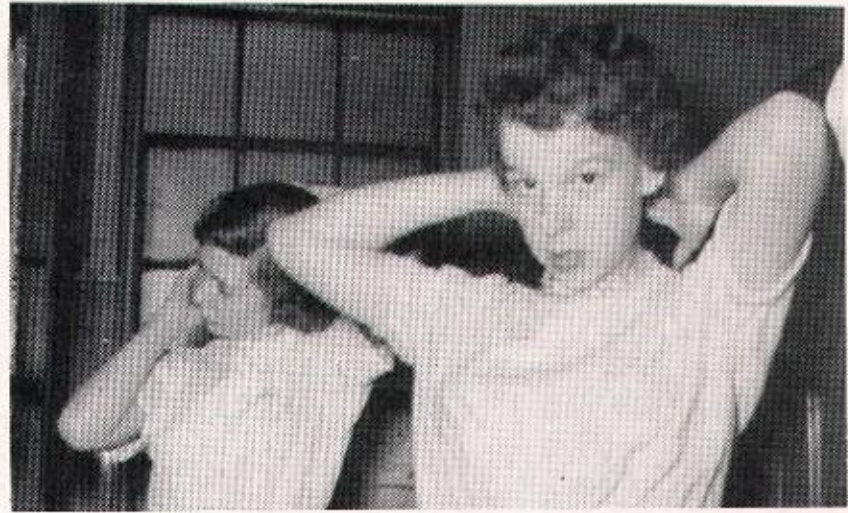
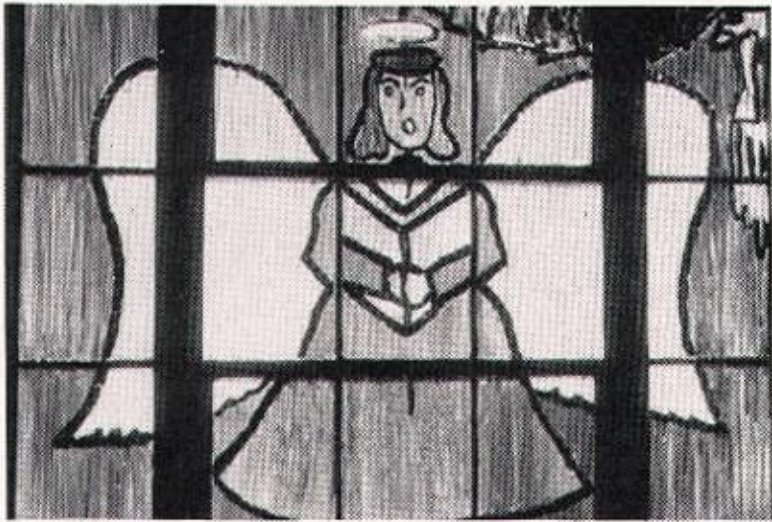
- 9 The *H. M. S. Pinafore* was given to the junior high.
- 10 The *H. M. S. Pinafore* was presented by the Choirs. Has anybody seen my costume?
- 11 Science students traveled to the State Science Fair in Akron where six won superior awards.
- 12 The Key Club of Ohio met in Cleveland for the State convention.
- 16 Sixteen students were initiated into National Honor Society.
- 18 The language clubs held the Mardis Gras in the gaily decorated gym.
- 25 End of the fifth estimate.
- 26 State Band Contest was held in Canton where the band won a superior rating.
- 29 The band members were honored by the Band Parents at the annual Band Banquet.

MAY

- 3 Students went "Swingin' into Spring" at the W-Teens Semi-Formal.
- 7 The track team participated in the C.B.L. track meet which was held at Grandview.
- 16 The Juniors honored the Seniors at the Junior-Senior with a true "Shangri-La."
- 17 Willis trackmen did well in the District Track Meet.

JUNE

- 1 Baccalaureate was held in Gray Chapel.
- 5 The Seniors began the Big Day at the breakfast in Bun's Colonial Room. Commencement exercises were held at 8:00 in Gray Chapel.
- 6 All students returned for their grade cards and the end of a wonderful school year, never to be forgotten.

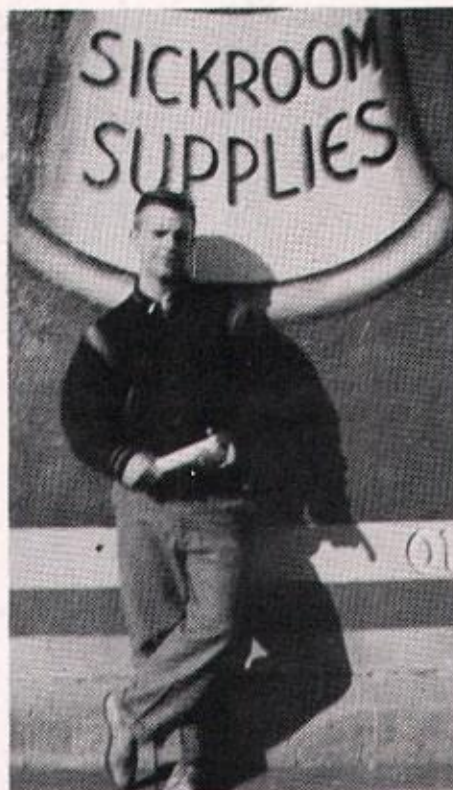


Top row: J. Donovan, J. Burkhart, M. Evans, P. Breece, and a guest watch M. Evans become queen for the F. F. A. The next group of girls are cleaning up after a W-Teen Play Night, so they MUST be freshmen! Willy started the year off right with good resolutions!

Second row: This was the lovely design chosen for our library window during the Christmas vacation. We didn't "vacate" long, though — back to regular schedule, including the morning ritual of haircombing. J. Felts and B. Yant seem to be doing well!

Third row: The basketball team is planning the next play, while the cheerleaders take time out to smile for the birdie! Then it's back to the crowd for another exciting game.

Fourth row: L. Bayliff appears to be practicing for high diving — or racing! J. Baker, P. Rayburn, S. Geesman, D. Stewart, L. Larson, and S. Arnold form quite a line-up! J. Strimer looks ready for the men in the white coats — love that Delhi office!



Top row: J. Strimer, N. Slagle, L. Carlisle, B. Perfect, and L. Harris seem to have had bad cases of spring fever. L. Bayliff and J. Seidl prove that debate trips are NOT dignified.

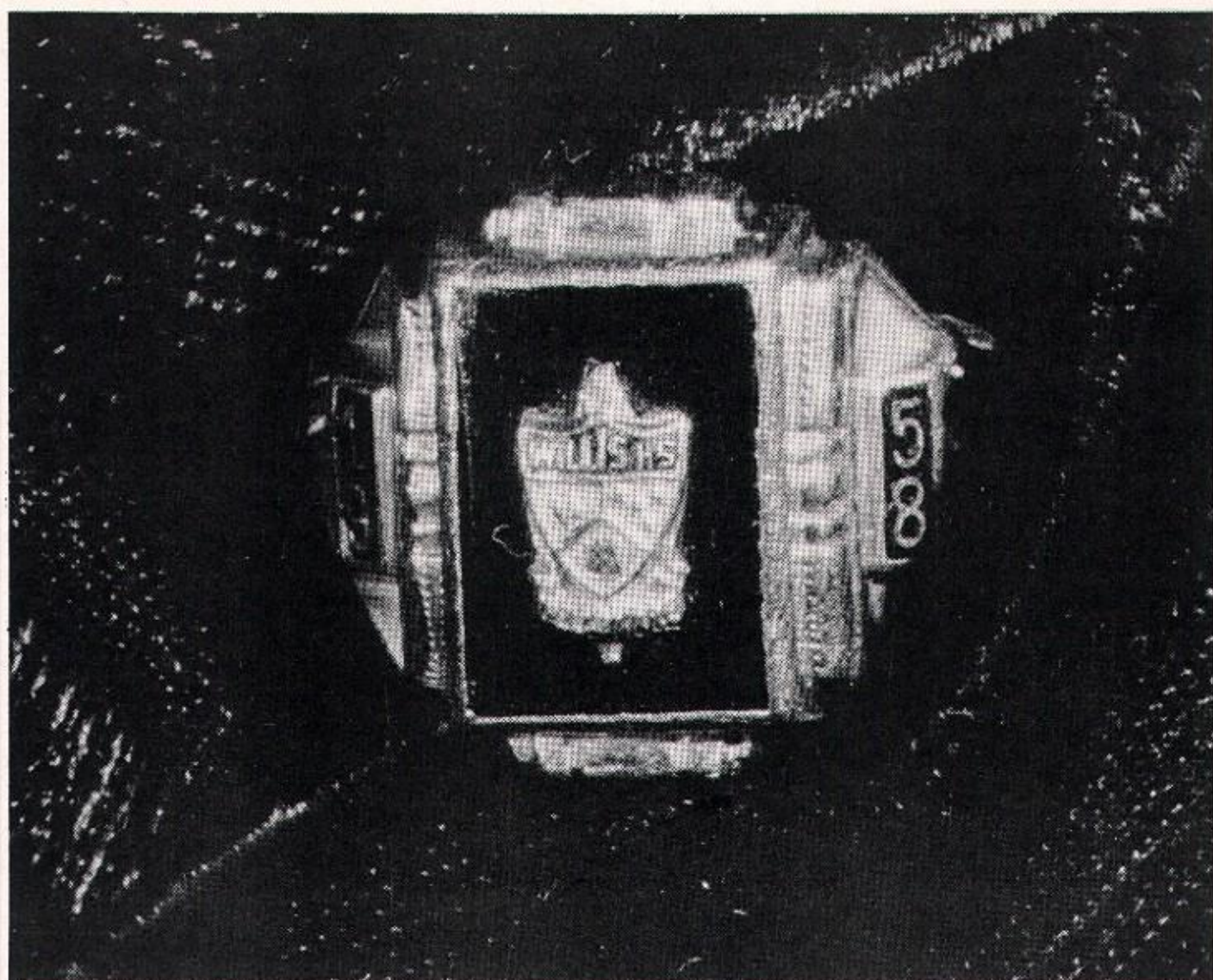
Second row: P. Rayburn and J. Baker need the support of G. McDonald's strong arm. The identification crew appears to be confused—which row is whose? B. Gallant practices up for a big game.

Third row: A. Moore is committing murder on M. Maxwell, while J. Shirling and L. Stull are playing tug-of-war with V. DeVries. E. Black would be a good cure-all for anyone's troubles.

Fourth row: C. Blair and L. Bayliff's annual caroling party appears to be a big success. F. Scary mops up after the last game.

Fifth row: A. Moore, E. Amick, and V. DeVries are really double jointed (or there's more behind them than we can see!) L. Carlisle watches J. Strimer play the fool at the country pool.

Sixth row: L. Bayliff, Mr. Creasy, C. Blair, and Mrs. Evans plan an attack for the next debate. But it's time to go, so let's follow the example set by C. Blair, J. Seidl, S. Espenshied, and L. Bayliff and head for the pool! Hope you have a swimming summer!



SENIORS

SENIOR HISTORY

Our sophomore year was enjoyable for all of us. By this time, we were definitely "in" with Willis. Some of the boys played on varsity teams this year and held offices in school clubs. The girls no longer faced clean-up duty after W-Teen play night, and they had greater voice in the organizations. Our class had already proven that it was an active unit, and under the leadership of president Judy Seidl, we began working toward the Junior-Senior. Car washes, leaf rakes, dances — all were successful. Some of us headed our pathways toward the stage in "Time Out For Ginger," and the operetta, "The Fortune Teller." Others began working toward leading offices in Future Farmers of America, Future Homemakers of America, Future Teachers of America, and all the other clubs. We began to discover that our activities need not be confined to just the school. F. F. A. members traveled to Kansas City, Key Club boys went to the Ohio District Convention in Dayton, and the Thespians performed "Sunday Costs Five Pesos" at the national convention in Indiana. All of these experiences gave us excellent preparation for the big job which lay ahead of us as juniors.

Our junior year on Panther pathways can be described in one word — busy! School was becoming more difficult and work outside of school claimed much of our time, too. Our class really became an organized group headed by president Judy Seidl and the Junior Class Executive Committee. Our main goal for the year was the Junior-Senior banquet and dance, and we worked for it! Sales tax stamps became as valuable as money, orange and navy-blue sweatshirts were worn by all, and clean cars were the rage in Delaware. It was hard work, but that bank balance of over one thousand dollars looked very nice! At last the time came for us to honor the seniors, and we took them on a trip to the "Isles of Paradise." Then the seniors had their all-night party and we had our junior party. It certainly was a night to be remembered by all.

However, the Junior-Senior was not our only activity of the year by any means. Many of our boys were now varsity "D" men, and some of our girls won "W's" as well. In the musical line the Sultans of Swing, a dance band, was built into a well-known organization thanks to some of our classmates. The stage again proved a rewarding spot for those in "The Divine Flora" and "The Caine Mutiny Court Martial." The debate team had one of its best years to date, and some of our classmates received high honors for their speaking ability. The F. F. A. and F. H. A. competed in the Delaware County fair and members won high awards. Four boys and one girl went to Buckeye Boy's and Girl's States held in June. Altogether, it was a wonderful year, and after a rest we were ready to take our place as seniors at Willis High.

The end of our journey is now approaching, and as we look back on this year, we realize just how much Willis has come to mean to us. At the beginning of the year, we assumed leadership of school organizations. Sonny George served as president of the student body, assisted by secretary Judy Seidl. Our class had dwindled from one hundred fifty-three to one hundred, but those left were a tightly knit group headed by president Don Shaw.

This was the year we had all been waiting for! We discovered that studies were more difficult than ever, but we found time for many activities — dances ("Silver Bells" in December, "My Fair Lady" in March, and "Swingin' Into Spring"), stage work ("H. M. S. Pinafore," "Little Red Riding Hood," the Christmas Concert), band (we got a superior in state competition), clubs and all of the other million and one things. The two biggest events of the year (beside graduation) were the senior trip and the Junior-Senior, "Shangri-La." Not very often do you get a chance to visit New York and the land of eternal youth, within one year! But soon we realized that the time had come to leave the familiar halls of Willis. We were measured for caps and gowns, received our invitations, joined in the final senior breakfast, and then walked through Gray Chapel to the strains of "Pomp and Circumstance." The little seventh-graders have grown into graduates and now the Panther Pathway has led us to a new path of life.

SENIOR TRIP



Seated: N. Avery, V. Robinson, R. Reardon, S. Hasty, L. Harris, N. Slagle, S. Elder, S. Pope, P. Clark, N. Byerly, C. Lowry, J. Crowl, D. Ramey, M. Stanley, J. Slasor.
 Kneeling: P. Glaze, J. Long, S. Fogle, S. Gooding, M. Skatz, J. Gruber, C. Blair, L. Longwell, L. Carlisle, A. Polites, M. Poole, C. Gabriel, A. Heinlen, J. Strimer.
 Standing: L. Gongwer, A. George, D. Landsittel, J. Donovan, J. Jones, E. Black, J. Fouts, Mrs. Slasor, Mr. Slasor, P. Breece, J. Swope, T. Winship, T. Heinaman, B. Roberts, G. Morris.



At last! Even though it was raining on March 28, we all were glad to know that we were finally under way!

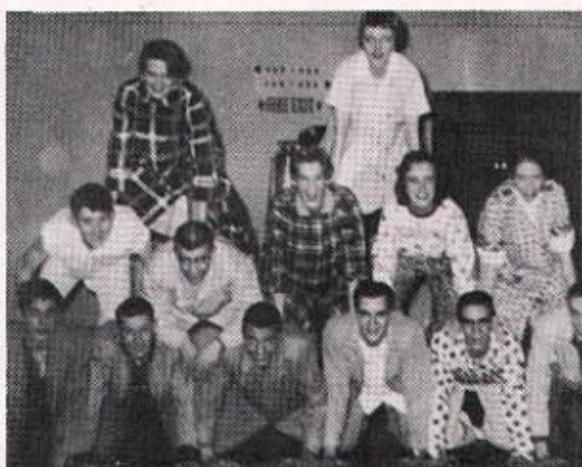
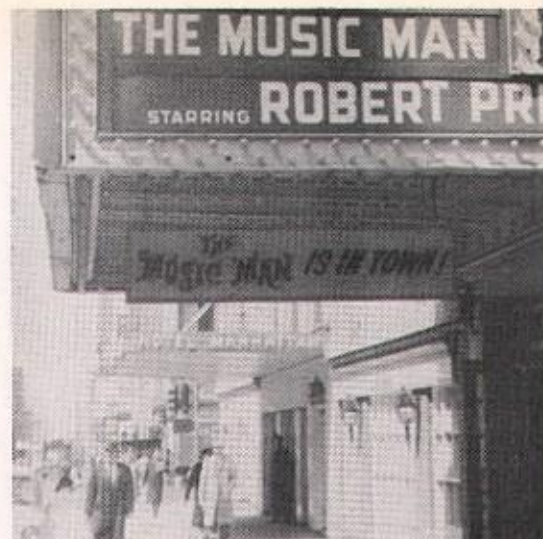
Here our group took a rest from sight-seeing (and steps!) and posed for a shot with the Jefferson Memorial.

The transfer from bus to the B & O was a welcome one, but even the train proved too much for "Mom" and "Dad" Slasor.

Back at Annapolis Hotel, we tried to find our way out again. Where did the Washington Monument go?

When we got off in Washington, D.C., we put on our hiking boots and started climbing steps—a job which became very familiar!

We finally found our way back to the B & O and started for New York. Jon Fouts MC'd a talent show which passed the time away until we reached the big city.



Jon Fouts decided to come into the Big Town with a bang, or should we say crash?) We all felt the same way — ready to really go out on the town! However, we generally rode in taxis when necessary.

"Standing on the corner —," only in this case it was usually a station. Our baggage seemed to gain weight at every step, and there certainly were a lot of steps.

John Jones, Tom Winship, and Jim Swope look like they're ready for a big night in New York — and so were the rest of us!

We had a wonderful time "doing the town," but the hotel was also a lot of fun. Here "Mom" seems to be reading a bedtime story to some of the gals, while they have a midnight snack of coke.

Our Hotel Manhattan was beautiful, and it was surrounded by theaters like this one. A lot of us saw "Lil' Abner" and brought "Jubilant T. Cornpone" home as the senior song.

Steps and more steps! Here some of us are in the United Nations building, preparing for another climb. It was worth it, though, to see the place where the future of our world is decided.

When we weren't walking, we usually were on a ferry boat. This is the tour around Manhattan Island which sailed on our last day. Paul Breece, Ed Black, and Tom Winship decided it was warm enough to get a suntan.

Whoops! How did Washington get back in the picture? Oh, well — you never can tell when a pyramid will spring up these days!

On Friday, we all headed back to the B & O. Pat Clark, Lynn Harris, Carolyn Blair, and David Landsittel reorganized the bridge game.

Others of us followed the example of Sonny George and Sue Hasty and caught up on some sleep. That fifteen hour ride was awfully long!

At last we made it back to Delaware with happy memories of a never-to-be forgotten week. Mr. Slasor was ready to join the All-Pooped Out Club, but all of us — "Mom," "Dad" and their 42 "kids" — will always think of the senior trip as a time when "every thing was ticketeetoo!"

JUNIOR-SENIOR



By the light of Japanese lanterns, couples danced into the wonderland of Shangri-La.

David Mooney and John Cross MC'd intermission, which consisted of the Choral Ensemble singing "Oklahoma;" the TM's who traveled "26 Miles" to enjoy "Dancing With My Shadow" in a "Dream;" the Tri-Notes, who took the group on a "Sentimental Journey" to "Shangri-La;" and Carolyn Hudson, who said "Sayonara" to all of us. This word became famous to the seniors who enjoyed the Sayonara Senior All-Night Party.





SAYONARA

As our Sayonara night began, many of us joined J. Seidl and B. Gallant in Tokyo Bay, while others took part in a Rice Bowl. After we had completed our bay or bowl fun, the Rickisha Express was on hand to transport us to the Yokihama Teahouse. Here we took off our shoes and enjoyed a slippers snack, complete with floor show. Then some of our Japanese guides led us to the Pagoda Playhouse, where a certain Kwai guy turned his bridge in on a balcony. After seeing "Marjorie Morningstar," we were taken to Holiday Hill for a wonderful breakfast in true Japanese style. It certainly was hard to say "Sayonara" to such a grand night. Thank you, senior parents, for a perfect evening!



SENIOR HISTORY

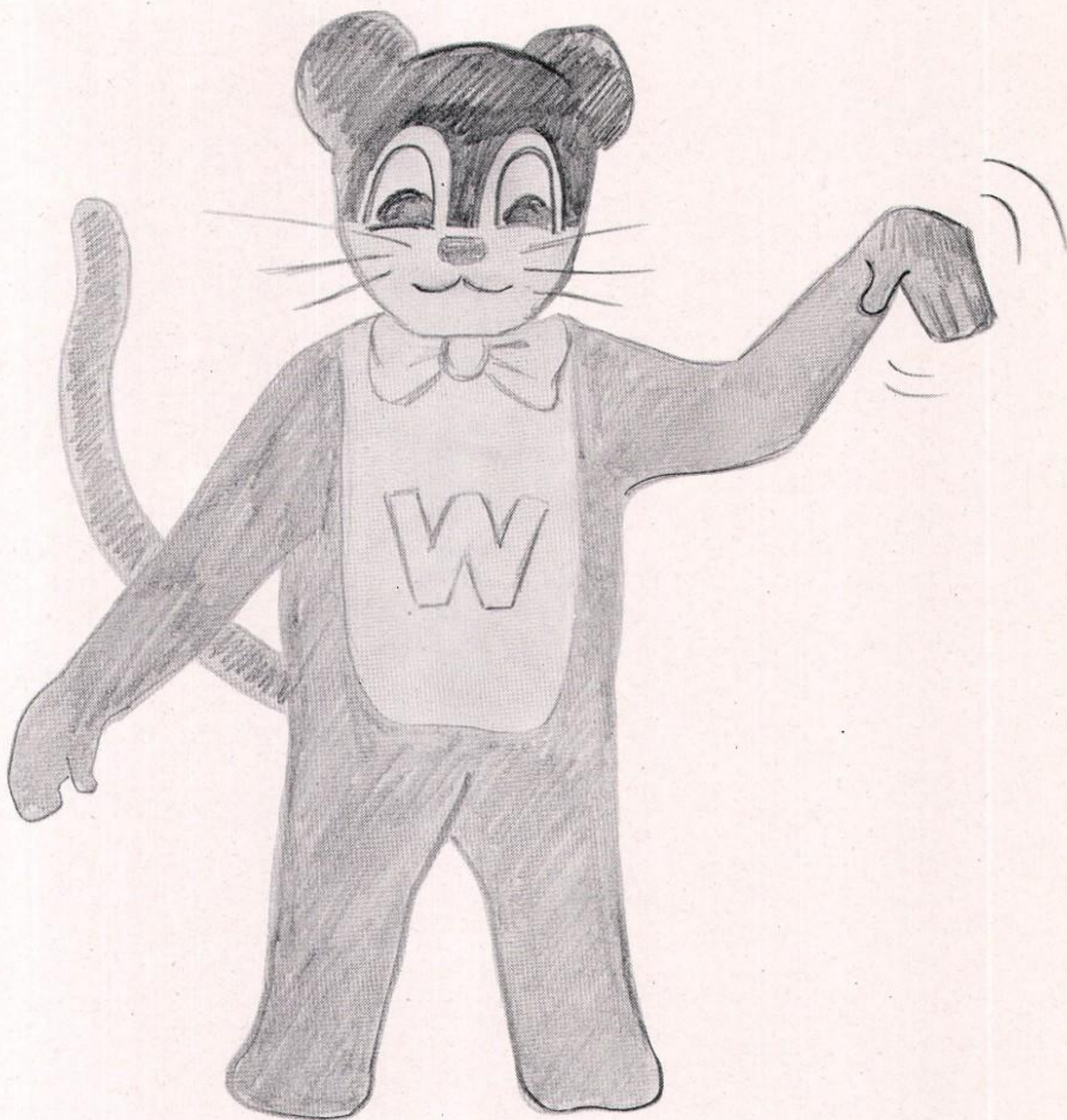
Panther pathways have come to mean a lot to our class of 1958 on our journey from seventh grade to graduation. Now that it is time to leave this well-trodden road, let us mark some memory milestones of our trip through Willis High School.

Seventh Grade — it seems like just yesterday that we were being shown around a gigantic building called Willis High. It took sometime for all one hundred fifty-three of us to get settled, but gradually we found our place and began the six-year journey. Remember how excited we were when a man named Dwight D. Eisenhower came through Delaware and spoke to us from the platform of the train? After that, it was hard to get back to studying — especially with no recess! However, the many clubs we joined kept us too busy to miss it. Everyone found some activity to enjoy — band, choir, intramurals (remembers the Galle-hes and Galle-hers, the Hot Shots, the Sharp Shooters?), dramatics, or the Live Wire newspaper. We began to feel part of the school now, and we felt especially grown up at the Mistletoe Mix with the senior high. The dances were forgotten while many of us started working on the operetta "Johnny Appleseed." The stage looked so big and we felt so small! We were glad when the curtain closed, but we learned the meaning of stage struck as well as stage fright. Everyone was proud and happy that part of our operetta was included in Mrs. Hearn and Miss Plum's production, "Delaware Diary," honoring Ohio's sesquicentennial. After this show closed, we had to get back to work, and we did — with Every Pupil and Iowa State tests. All of our work wasn't on paper, though; the trip to the State Capitol and Legislature was fun as well as study. At the end of the year, we got another opportunity to combine work and play when we went to the Westerville Park and Columbus Zoo. This was our final outing in seventh grade; after a short summer, we returned to the Panther Path as seniors of the junior high — eighth graders.

We felt so grown up by now, and the new seventh grade was so young! The school didn't seem quite so big anymore, either. The continued participation in all the clubs; some of us were accepted into senior high band. The choir sang with senior high groups at the annual Christmas Concert, a big event for all of us. For those who liked sports, the intramural competition was fierce, especially between rivals 201 and 208. However, everyone worked on our second Junior High Open House to present a talent show, kickball game, and social hour. Some of us competed in the Junior Payoff and proved that we could stand side by side with the senior high. Our last big eighth grade fling was the Field Day, where two representatives from each room reigned. The torch of freedom was brought in by runners, track and field competition took place, and some of us even "circled around the old brass wagon!" Our little circle in junior high came to an end at the last awards assembly, and we returned in the fall of 1954 as freshmen in senior high.

Once again everything seemed new and strange to us. New teachers, new subjects, new clubs — it was all a little frightening. However, we got in the swing of things in a short time. The boys joined the Hi-Y and Key Club and became members of the sports teams and musical organizations; the girls were taken into W-Teens and started to develop their interests in various fields. We went to the football and basketball games in larger numbers, some to watch, others to play. Many of us returned to the stage in the operetta "The Mikado." We organized our class and began working as a unit under the leadership of president Alan Hackel. Some of us joined the Junior Classical League and attended the convention in Columbus. We became members of the various language clubs, and between the Latin banquet (where we were sold as slaves) and the French-Spanish Mardi Gras, we had a gay time.

The dances were one of the most enjoyable new things we discovered. The W-Teens' "Plantation Prom" and "April in Paris" (complete with waitresses), combined with the Hi-Y and Key Clubs "Blue Heaven" kept us on our toes (and our dates' toes as well!) However, we freshmen soon discovered that we had clean-up detail after each big event, so we exchanged formals and suits for blue jeans and brooms and went to work. It was a year of discovery for our class, and marked an important milestone for our pathway.



So ends our 1957-58 journey. Now the seniors are preparing to leave this well-trod path and start on a new adventure. To them, Willy says, "Remember our motto — new occasions teach new duties." To the rest of you, our little mascot says, "See you next year when we once again will walk on Panther Pathways!"



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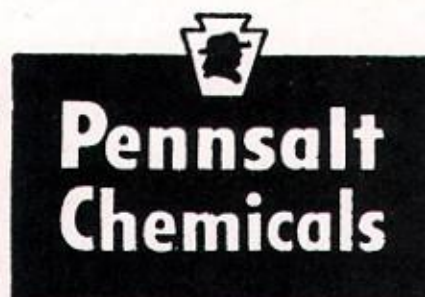
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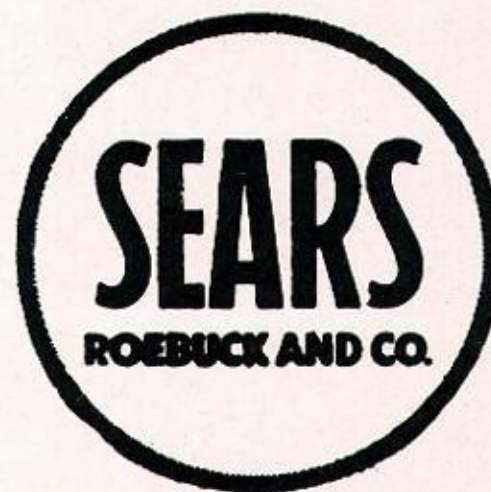
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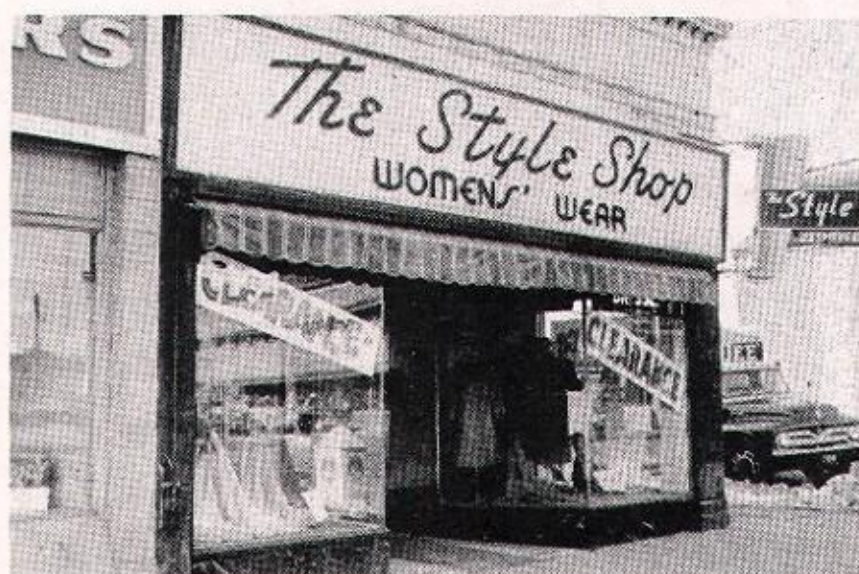
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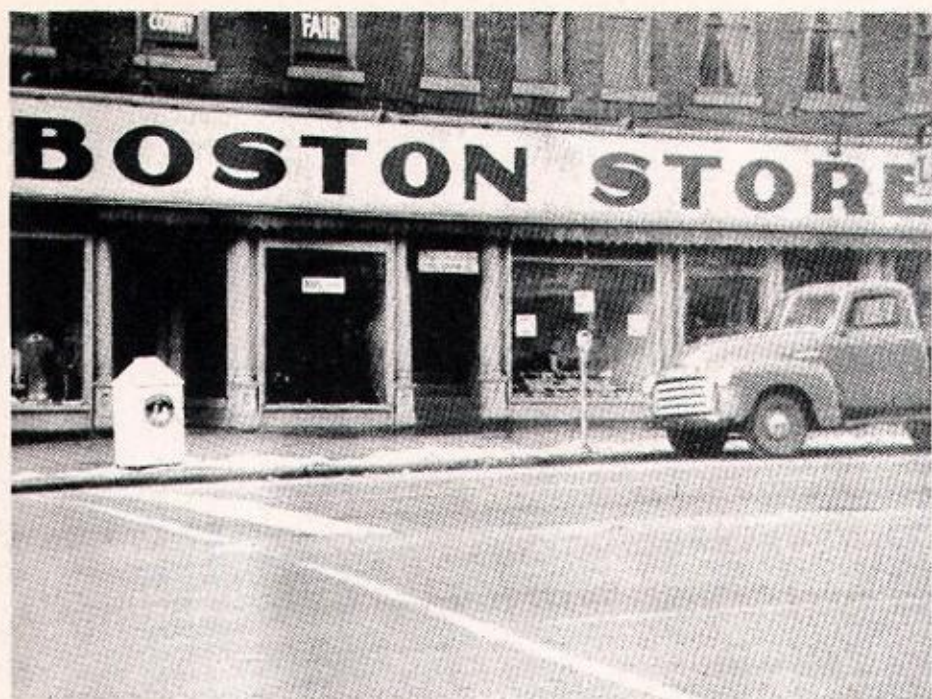
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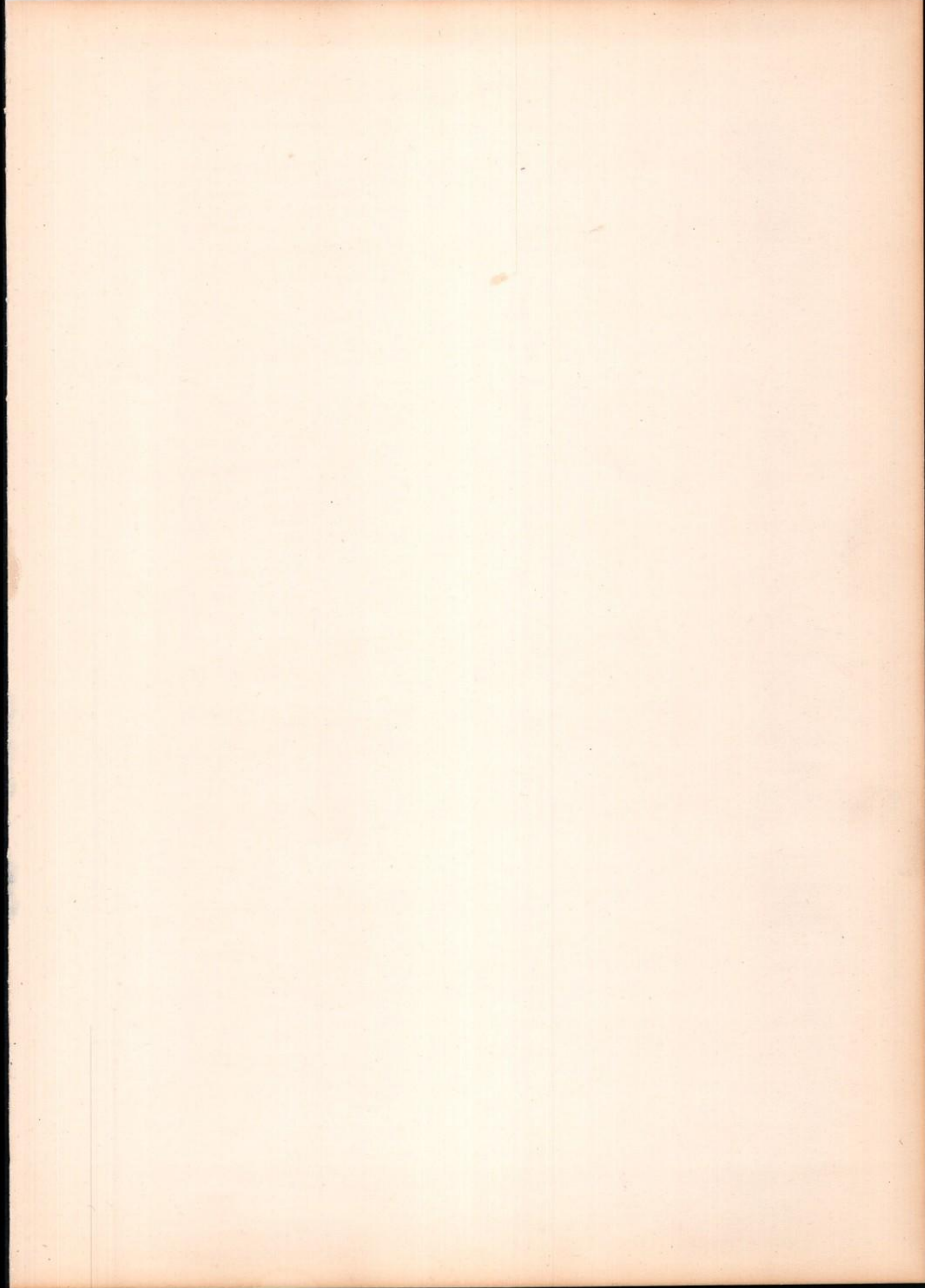
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Ronnie,
Best of
luck always
to a swell guy.
Your little bits
of humor are
always tips. (I
hope you know
what I mean)
Marcia
'59"

Ronnie,
Best of luck
to a darling smiler.
Don't forget all
of the dances and
parties. Phyllis
'59

Reg!
Good luck
in everything you
do. Keep Nov. 8 in
mind. I'm genuine
to remember it
along time.

(Slade) Jerry
'59"

Ronnie,
The best of
everything always
to one of the neatest
guys I know.

"Bee"
"59"
P.S. Good luck with
that car of yours!

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